...rans were present: John ..., Decatur, 72; Fletcher ...ylorville, 75; James Ander... 73; Isaac P. Smith, Pleas... 72, C. C. P. Holden, Chr... ...homas B. Briggs, Delavan, ...T. Taylor, Sullivan, 74; ...ters, Paris, 71, Capt. Ed ...eyville, 75, G. W. Mc... ...kland, 77, W. H. Jack... ...ville, 75 Daniel Craig, ... Alfred Gibson, Decatur, ... Bradshaw, Harristown, ... Smith, Decatur, 72; W. ..., Sullivan, 72; David ... Zi..., 78, John Frazier, ..., S. T. Tufts, Centralia, ...waler, Beau..., 72, Ed... ...n, Paris, 74, D. G. Burr, ... Wiley, Charleston, ...Cr. 9, Walnut Hill, 73, ...n, Sumner, 72; J. D. ... Prado, 75; David B. ...tt..., 76; M. L. Howe, ...; John Shields, Sullivan,

...d a Long Walk.

...an from out of town had ...nfortunate experience at ...ark several days ago. He ...ent at the park with some ...people and after supper ...row on the river. The ...ated some distance away ...of the boat landing and ...st on the river, so he did ...just what direction to go ...landing. By the time he ...ay back the last car had ...ompanied by the young ...were with him, he was ...walk in from Riverside.

...l Game Sunday.

...bers of the Company H ...rranged for a game in De... ...ay. They will play the ...team at the race track in ... ...Hill team are now fully ...m and are booking other ...s. They will play the ...from Nashville on August

...ed to Stonington.

...oroner Roy Bendure left ...for Stonington with his ... The officials of that ...t that the two men who ...Pritchett store at Niantic ...ave since been making ...in the neighborhood and ...the dogs to hunt them ...nty Bendure expected to ...this evening.

...rm This Morning.

...this morning did not last ...t while it was in progress ...severe. For a short time ...heavy rain, accompanied ...wind. Several trees in ...ts of the city were blown ...the apple trees suffered ...n the fruit being blown

... Take a Vacation.

...ore of the fire department ...vacation of one month. ...y he will leave, accom... ...his wife, for Jerome, ...ere he will visit for a ...ake a well deserved rest. ...ns, who has been in the ...n', will return to Jerome ...time.

...Divorce Filed.

...e of the circuit clerk yes... ...A. F. Wilhelmy filed a bill ...e from his wife, Estelle ...The bill states that the ...married June 3, 1896, and ...er until July 16, 1897, ...alleged the wife deserted ...l and the two year old ...petitioner asks for the ...e child.

...Atlantic City.

...the Vandalia-Pennsylvania ...very cheap excursion De... ...lantic City, N. J., $17.50 ...d trip. Tickets good for ...s will give you a splendid ...to enjoy your summer ...the sea shore, at very rea... ...For full particulars see ...augh, T. P. A. Vandalia ...ot

...re Out a Warrant.

...l Loech has sworn out a ...inst J. R. Wasson, who ...dling a remedy known as ...in Killer. The defendant ...Attorney J. M. Gray and ...ght the case.

...thing Men Next.

...ng men are now talking of ...me some time during the ...August. They will meet ...next week and talk the

...Trial Monday.

...cis and John Zeller, the ...men who had a fight on ...sterday, were taken before ...ly this morning. They ...ht the case and their trial ...Monday morning at 9 ...th were released on bond.

...Saved His Leg.

...nforth, of LaGrange, Ga., ...six months with a frightful ...on his leg, but writes that ...nica Salve wholly cured it ...For ulcers, wounds, piles, ...salve in the world. Cure ...Only 25c. Sold by John ...Charles F. Shilling, drug-

...veland, Sandusky, Toledo.

...agara Falls excursion via ...E Ry., Tuesday, August ...ll be sold at rate named ...e points in addition to ...a. Fifteen day limit for ...l on your nearest ticket ...rticulars, or address G. A. ..., Peoria, Ill.—25-dtd

WILL NOT VETO

Saloons Can Stay Open Till Twelve O'clock.

WHAT MAYOR STADLER SAYS

In Regard to the Matter—He Wi... Neither Sign Nor Veto the Ordinance—Thinks He is Acting Just.

The ordinance recently passed by th... city council providing that the saloo... be allowed to stay open until midnig... will become a law. Mayor Stadl... says that he will neither sign nor ve... it, but when an ordinance is n... signed by the mayor within 10 da... after it has been passed, it becomes ... law. This Mr. Stadler will allow ... take place in the case of the saloo... ordinance. Until this time the mayo... has not expressed his intention pu... licly, but in speaking of the matter t... a reporter today Mayor Stadler said:

WILL NOT VETO.

"I see no reason why any hardship would be inflicted on anyone if th... saloons are allowed to stay open unt... 12 o'clock. Personally I am not i... favor of it and when it came to m... before on a tie vote I promptly vote... against it. But the way it stand... now it was passed by a majority o... the members of the council. I am i... office to execute the laws and not t... make them and when the legislativ... body of the city passes a law I do no... think that it is my power of veto fo... any spite work or to satisfy my per... sonal views. If a law was passed tha... would be of great detriment to th... city I would veto it and it is for suc... emergencies that the veto is given th... mayor and it should not be abuse... any more than anything else. A com... mittee of the W. C. T. U. called upo... me to urge that I veto the ordinance... I told them the same thing, that ... could not see how it would lower th... moral standard of the city and that i... did not seem just for me to veto wha... the legislative body wanted passed... The members of the city counc... should have some consideration at m... hands.

NOT GIVING IN.

"Now there is one thing about i... that I particularly want understood... The fact that I am allowing the ordi... nance to become a law is no indica... tion that I am weakening in my polic... or offering any chances for the saloo... men to break the laws. For th... reasons I have stated I am allowin... the ordinance to go through, althoug... not personally in favor of it. What... ever action I might take I would b... criticised by some class of persons, s... I am simply doing what I think i... just.

"Staying open until 12 o'cloc... means 12 o'clock and nothing more... The saloon men cannot keep open on... minute over 12 any more than the... can now over 11 o'clock. We will b... just as strict about closing every plac... promptly at the time stated and unde... the new ordinance the saloon men wi... be in even more danger for on Satur... day nights if they stay open past mid... night they will not only be liable t... fine for being open after hours, bu... will be liable to prosecution under th... Sunday law."

Pennsylvania lawn mowers, Scovil... Co.—6-dtf

The Carter Case.

The trial of Daisy Carter, th... colored woman, charged with assaul... ing the child of Mrs. Carter, wa... heard yesterday afternoon in Justic... Hardy's court. The trial of the cas... lasted from 2 o'clock in the afternoo... until 7 in the evening. It was hear... by a jury and it took the jurors but ... short time to decide that the defend... ant was not guilty. The jury wa... made up mostly of colored men an... the colored people took a good deal o... interest in the case. Attorney J. H... Latham prosecuted and Attorne... James Lee defended.

Was It a Miracle?

"The marvelous cure of Mrs. Rena J... Stout of consumption has created in... tense excitement in Cammack, Ind.," writes Marion Stuart, a leading drug... gist of Muncie, Ind. She only weighed... 90 pounds when her doctor in York... town said she must soon die. Then sh... began to use Dr. King's New Discov... ery and gained 37 pounds in weight and... was completely cured." It has cure... thousands of hopeless cases, and i... positively guaranteed to cure all throat... chest and lung diseases. 50c and $1.0... Trial bottles 10 cents at John E. Kin... and Charles F. Shilling's drug stores.

Visit

Niagara Falls on the occasion of th... P., D. & E. excursion, Tuesday... August 8. Plenty of time to visi... Toronto, Montreal, Thousand Islands... Put-In-Bay and other resorts, a... tickets have the extremely long retur... limit of 15 days. Call on ticket agen... for particulars, or write G. A. Smith... G. A., Peoria, Ill.—25dtd

Grace M. E. Church.

Evangelist Smith will preach at th... morning hour. The male quartett... from the tent will sing. Mr. Barring... ton will sing a solo, "Oh God, Hav... Mercy," from the oratorio of St. Pau... by Mendelssohn. In the evening th... city Epworth League officers will b... installed and an echo meeting of th... Indianapolis convention will be held.

Insurance gasoline stoves can't ex... plode.—6-dtf

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TRAITORS IN THE CAMP

Evidence That Americans Sent Arms to Aguinaldo.

A BIG SCANDAL

Whole Affair Exposed and Names to Appear.

ADMIRAL DEWEY'S DISPATCH

Sent Last September to the Department—**Interesting Developments—The Confession of Satterlie's Associate, a Sailor Named Grimes.**

WASHINGTON, July 31.—The state and navy departments are in possession of evidence which shows that Americans have been supplying Aguinaldo with arms and ammunition. Interesting developments are expected. The evidence secured will probably cause the confiscation by the government of the American steamer Pasig, now stationed at Manila, and Frederick W. Satterlee, formerly of Philadelphia, will have to avoid countries having extradition treaties with the United States. Perhaps the scandal will affect other Americans of hitherto good repute, though their connection with the affair may not prove criminal.

The following dispatch was received at the navy department from Admiral Dewey early in the morning of September 27 last:

"Secretary of the Navy, Washington. Having received information American steamer Abby left Maco September 21 with cargo of arms for Batangas, sent McCulloch; arrived Batangas 23; found her in harbor, having arrived three days earlier and landed cargo. Only Filipinos on board. They refused to give any information and had no papers whatever. Seized and brought her here, where they now hold her. The steamer, formerly Pasig, registered American vessel, United States consulate, Canton. Have information she made one voyage of same kind before. "DEWEY."

This dispatch has recently acquired significance little imagined at the time of its receipt. It is now known that an American register was illegally granted to the Pasig by the United States consul at Canton; that she was owned by an American and loaded with American arms, purchased for Aguinaldo after the capture of Manila by the Americans. She delivered 500 rifles and 50,0000 cartridges to the insurgents, to be used, not against the Spaniards, but against the United States troops.

Confession of Grimes.

For a long time no conclusive evidence could be secured against the ..., and about the time Admiral Dewey sailed for home, orders were sent from Washington to release the vessel. Some additional facts had just at that time come to the knowledge of Captain Barker and he astonished the navy department by replying that a man named Grimes had made a full confession regarding the filibustering exploits of the Pasig, which would be forwarded to Washington.

This confession must have reached here some time ago, for Captain Barker has already returned, and by the same steamer that brought him came a mass of official and unofficial ... which may clear up the entire mystery. Grimes was the partner of Satterlee, ... chief conspirator, who was recently seen in England, but is said to have suddenly disappeared from there, and is now supposed to be on his way to Africa.

THE WEATHER.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Illinois: Fair tonight except showers and thunderstorms in the extreme northwest; warmer in the northeast; fair in the south Tuesday; showers and thunder storms in the north; southerly winds.

CHURCH REFORM

In the Matter of Episcopal Services.

LONDON, July 31.—The Archbishop of Canterbury and York rendered a decision today in the ritual cases heard by them in May. They declare that while far from saying the use of incense and carrying lights in a procession is unsuitable or undesirable accompaniments of divine worship, they are obliged, in accordance with the prayerbook to come to the conclusion that these are neither enjoyed nor permitted by the law of the church of England. Therefore they may only be used to sweeten the church or for purely lighting purposes. They urge that all clergy, for the sake of the peace of the church, discontinue their use as a part of the services.

SAM JONES ON BOB

Ingersoll Discussed at the Chautauqua.

GALESBURG, ILL., July 31.—Six thousand people attended the Chautauqua here Sunday. The sermon was by Sam Jones, who, in the course of his address, referred to R. G. Ingersoll. He spoke of the loneliness of Ingersoll's family and said that no cave in Kentucky was so lonely and gloomy as that home. The infidel who would erase from his mother's tomb the words, "I am the resurrection and the Life," would commit no joke. He could not laugh at the man who would say that the handful of his mother's remains were all that there was of her. He thought the words "and mortality must put on immortality" infinitely grander than anything the infidel had said. In conclusion, he said he could understand why Ingersoll should lecture on infidelity for $500 a night, but could not understand why the little infidels should follow him and be agnostics for nothing, and board themselves.

TOURNEY AT PEKIN

Firemen to Have a Big Time This Week.

PEKIN, ILL., July 31.—The 11th annual tournament of the Illinois Fireman's association begins in this city on Tuesday, August 1, and will continue for three days.

Racing teams from Naperville, Chicago Heights, Charleston, Edwardsville, Farmington, Arcola, Gibson City, Blue Island, Venice, Canton, South Peoria, Mount Pulaski, Clinton, Dixon, Litchfield, Peoria, Monmouth and Madison will take part. The cash prizes amount to $2000.

The program on Tuesday includes a parade, races and every variety of firemen's contests. On Wednesday morning a steam fire engine contest and on Thursday morning a hand engine contest.

Chief Swenie of Chicago and other chiefs will be here.

AFFRAY AT PANA

Miners Still Fighting on the Streets.

PANA, ILL., July 31.—Robert Foster, Charles Gould and Walter Mize engaged in a serious cutting affray at Fourth and Clark streets. Mize was stabbed in the side and Gould was severely cut on the right arm an artery being severed. A razor in the hand of Foster is said to have done the work.

Gould and Mize are union miners, and Foster is a non-union coal digger. The cutting is alleged to have been the result of differences over the strike. The injured men's condition is reported serious. Foster was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Cheney.

FAMOUS WOMAN DEAD.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague died at her country home near here at 3 o'clock this morning.

SENATOR HARLAN

International Law Defined as to the Filipinos.

Tagals Owe Allegiance to America.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COL., July 31.—Ex-Senator James Harlan of Iowa, secretary of the interior under Abraham Lincoln, who is recuperating here, in speaking of the Philippine Islands and the administration policy, said:

"The general argument of Mr. Bryan is that the Filipinos are fighting for their independence, the same as the United States did in the revolutionary war. The Philippine Islands are free like Colorado or any other state, but like Colorado again they are not independent. When we acquired the islands the inhabitants became our subjects. They are free, but they owe allegiance to their sovereign, the United States government, just like any state in the Union.

"Mr. Bryan quotes Lincoln as saying no man is good enough to govern another without consent of the governed. Mr. Lincoln made this statement in regard to the slaves in the south, and not in the sense in which Mr. Bryan applies it. We are not trying to make slaves of the Filipinos; we have given them their freedom though not their independence. Our rebelling against England was justified because we were not a free people, but rebelled to become free. The Filipinos are rebels because when Spain was driven from the islands they became our subjects, not an independent nation.

"If we were to turn the Filipinos adrift, Spain possibly, but Germany more than likely, would take possession of the islands. If Germany should take possession the islands would not be free as now.

'The Filipinos were never independent. They were Spain's subjects for 300 years. They never conquered their sovereign power, hence they could never be recognized as independent. We are the strongest nation on earth and we should take some steps to free the Orient."

Orders have been issued by the war department removing the garrison at Fort Monroe, all except a small guard, to some point on the northern coast, to be selected by General Merritt. Surgeon General Wyman of the marine hospital service, says that it may be necessary to take many of the inmates of the soldiers home away. Surgeon General Van Reypen of the navy said he did not believe it would be necessary to suspend operations at the Norfolk navy yard, though the yard will be quarantined.

DIVINE HEALERS

Chicago Woman Dies of Blood Poisoning.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Mrs. Annetia Flanders, wife of Edward Flanders of 1608 Indiana avenue, died of blood poisoning at St. Luke's hospital, after having been attended with "divine healing" during child birth by Mrs. Henrikka Bratz, an official of Dr. John Alexander Dowies' Zion Church of Divine Healing, in Michigan avenue. Dr. T. J. Watkins and Dr. Thomas Currie of St. Luke's hospital, and Dr. H. P. Peterson, who was called to attend Mrs. Flanders when she was thought to be dying, assert that the woman would have lived if she had been given proper medical attention. The state board of health has notified its attorney, John A. Barnes, to investigate the case. A criminal prosecution will probably follow.

Mrs. Bratz, when seen, explained her attendance upon Mrs. Flanders as follows: "The reason why Mrs. Flanders died was because her husband was not a believer in divine healing. If he had believed as his wife did she would have lived. God was angry because he made fun of the faith. When he said he was going to call in a doctor I nearly cried, because I knew she would die then. God hates medicine. He wants us to have faith in his divine healing."

CAUSE FOR ALARM

Outbreak of Yellow Fever Among Old Soldiers.

Thirty Four Cases With Six Deaths.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Surgeon General Sternberg has received the following from Surgeon DeWitt at Fort Monroe, regarding the outbreak of yellow fever at the Soldiers' Home at Hampton, Va.: "At 4 p. m. yesterday Surgeon Pettus of the marine hospital service, quarantine officer, officially stated that yellow fever is at the National Soldiers' Home at Hampton. Thirty-four cases, with six deaths."

Adjutant General Corbin, who was at Fort Monroe yesterday, when the official report was made, says that from all accounts there is little doubt that the conditions are serious and there is no telling how far the infection has reached. Many excursion parties have gone to the Soldiers' Home and mingled with the soldiers there. He says the theory is that the infection was brought by a soldier recently returned from Santiago. He was supposed to be suffering with degune fever. Not till the inmates began to die of yellow fever was the true disease suspected. General Corbin declares that there is not the least question as to the character of the disease, as post mortems have been held. Fort Monroe is only six miles away. Generals Corbin and Sternberg held a consultation and prepared for any emergency in case the fever should break out among the troops there. The inmates of the Hampton Soldiers' Home are veterans of the war of the rebellion.

Later.

NORFOLK, VA., July 31.—A message from Governor Woodfine of the Soldiers' Home at Hampton, says there have been three deaths since yesterday; 30 cases now under treatment. Experts, surgeons and immune nurses are being installed and rigid quarantine enforced.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Secretary Alger has directed that the Josiah Simpson hospital, fitted up for the troops stationed at Newport News last summer with 1000 beds, to be turned over to the marine hospital service, if wanted, for the care of the yellow fever patients. The marine hospital service this morning hurried a number of surgeons to Hampton and vicinity. The official report from the Home this morning is 35 cases, four deaths and one dying.

CUBAN RULE

President McKinley's Latest Plans in Brief.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—President McKinley's plan for the government of Cuba is embraced in the following:

A civil governor for the Island of Cuba, who will be vested with the veto power.

Legislative bodies, composed entirely of natives, their enactments to be subject to the approval of the governor.

Military occupation of Cuba by the forces of this government to be reduced to a minimum.

All municipal offices, including the postoffices and customs bureaus, to be filled by natives.

The appointment of a chief justice to whom appeals can be made.

The governor and chief justice to virtually constitute a de facto government.

The status of Cuba to be precisely identical with that of a territory after Congress has passed an enabling act admitting such territory to statehood, pending the submitting of the constitution to the people.

Home Rule Principle.

This form of military and civil government as evolved by President McKinley partakes strongly of home rule.

All suggestions to Congress for necessary legislation to carry out this scheme have been practically determined upon and they will be outlined in the president's message to Congress, unless a change in conditions should make it necessary to modify the plan.

In addition to authority from Congress for the appointment of a civil governor and the head of the judicial system nothing will be necessary to continue the indefinite occupation of Cuba, but permission to make needful tariff regulations. Under existing laws the president is empowered to make tariff concessions and to negotiate reciprocity treaties with recognized powers, and it is believed this authority can be exercised in the case of Cuba. With minor legislation the president can adjust the trade relations between Cuba and the United States on a satisfactory basis, thus leaving nothing more to be desired in the way of a simple and elastic form of government.

STRICT BOYCOTT

Merchants Will Not Sell Goods to the People.

CLEVELAND, OHIO, July 31.—Many cars were stoned in the suburbs last night. The mob on Fleet street was dispersed by the militia with fixed bayonets and a number of the ringleaders arrested. The boycott is so stringent that it is almost impossible for anyone who rides on the Big Consolidated cars to purchase the necessaries of life, especially in the outlaying districts.

FILIPINO REPULSE

Gen. Hall's Men Sae Calamba in a Fight.

It Took Place on Sunday on Two Sides.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—General Otis cables: "The insurgents in considerable force appeared in the vicinity of Calamba yesterday. They were pursued and driven off by General Hall. Our casualties were one killed, seven wounded. Captain Simpson of the 6th infantry struck a robber band of Negros on July 28, killing 19. No casualties."

In another dispatch General Otis says: "The North Dakota, Wyoming and Idaho regiments are on the transport Grant ready to depart. They desired delay till tomorrow to serve monthly day. Permitted."

Driven Back.

MANILA, July 31.—The insurgents made an unsuccessful attempt Sunday morning to capture the town of Calamba, on the shore of Laguna de Bay, which the forces of General Hall captured last Wednesday afternoon. The rebels numbered 2400 men. The attack was made simultaneously from the north and south, the Filipinos apparently thinking that they would confuse the Americans by attacking from two points at once.

It was not even necessary to employ the whole American force to drive the Filipinos off. Two companies of the 2st infantry, a squadron of cavalry and one gun sufficed to repulse the attack from the north, while the 400 men of the Washington regiment, comprising part of General Hall's command, and a detachment of cavalry, drove off the rebels who had advanced from the south.

The loss of the insurgents is not known. The American loss was one killed and seven wounded.

Despite the conditions of the country, caused by the recent rains, the enemy is active.

BASE BALL

JULY 29.

Brooklyn 6, St. Louis 4.

Philadelphia 7, Chicago 6 (10 innings).

Cincinnati 9, New York 8.

Pittsburg 6, Washington 5 (11 innings).

JULY 30.

Brooklyn 9, St. Louis 5.

Washington 7, Chicago 5.

Cincinnati 8, New York 4.

Louisville 9-16, Cleveland 2-13.

ALL A FAKE SAYS DEWEY

War With Germany Story Branded as a Falsehood.

NO TRUTH IN IT

The Admiral and Olympia Officers Disgusted.

BIG FIGHTS SOON AT DUBUQUE

For Purses Aggregating $15,000—George Siler to be Referee of the Boxing Carnival to be Held August 29 to 31—Low Rates.

TRIESTE, July 31.—Admiral Dewey brands as a falsehood, pure and simple, the alleged warlike interview cabled to New York from here, in which he was made to say that America would some day have to fight Germany. When the admiral was shown the statement credited to him, "Our next war will be with Germany," he turned away in disgust.

"I have not time to read, let alone deny or affirm such stuff. I pay no attention to all the lies or irresponsible rubbish that have been printed about me since my arrival at Trieste."

Further than that the admiral would not discuss the matter, and resumed the matters that had previously been engrossing his attention. The officers of the flagship Olympia were also disgusted over the alleged interview, and declared that they very much doubted that the admiral would say for publication things that he did not say privately. They suggested that there was some spite work at the bottom of the matter.

Boxing at Dubuque.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Manager Lou Houseman, now here, announces the fall boxing carnival of the Dubuque Athletic association on August 29-31. It includes six 20-round fights, two each night, as follows: On the 29th, Jack Root vs. George Byres, for the middleweight championship of America, and Tommy White vs. Eddy Santry, for the lightweight championship of the world; the 30th, Jack Lewis vs. Young Kenny, for the lightweight championship of the west, and George Kerwin vs. Harry Sellers, for the championship of Iowa; the 31st, Joe Goddard of Australia vs. Klondyke, for the heavyweight championship of the west, and Harry Lyons vs. Charley Mason, for the featherweight championship of the west. George Siler will be referee. The purses aggregate $15,000. The railroad will make a rate of one fare for the round trip within a radius of 450 miles.

BRYAN ALLEGREE'S DOSE.

HOPKINSVILLE, KY., July 31.—Miss Fannie Goodwin, a milliner, shot and mortally wounded Bryan Allegree. She alleges that he traduced her character and otherwise annoyed her. She was released without bond.

BOTH DEAD SHOTS.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., July 31.—A fatal fight occurred in Letcher county, Ky., today. William Smallwood and his uncle, Olellan Smallwood, between whom a feud existed, met on a mountain road. Both fired at the same time. The uncle fell dead with a bullet in his heart and the nephew was fatally wounded.

The King's Daughters of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. J. E. Saxton on Friday afternoon. Residence 826 East North Street.

Jerome Hall Raymond, the new president of the University of West Virginia, was a newsboy in his early life.

Some men who have more money than brains are on the verge of bankruptcy.

CARNIVAL TALK BY MR. BOWYER

Sermon Sunday Morning at the Baptist Church.

STAND UP FOR YOUR CITY

Like Saul of Tarsus—Do Not Speak Disparagingly of It—The 12 O'Clock Ordinance.

At the First Baptist church on Sunday morning the pastor, Rev. S. H. Bowyer spoke on "City Affairs," taking for his text the words of Paul: "I am a man, which am a Jew, a citizen of Tarsus, a city of Selicia, a citizen of no mean city." The central thought in Mr. Bowyer's talk was suggested by the sentiment which has manifested itself among certain individuals in speaking of the proposed corn carnival for this fall. So many have said: "We can't make a success of the carnival if it is going to be run on the Sunday school plan," or "If the church people are going to run this thing it will be a failure," and again, "If we can't have a wide open town we need not attempt a carnival." He said he was sure that a more successful carnival than the one held last year could be held under the existing administration. He said he had gone to the trouble of going to at least 15 of the representative business men of the city and asking them about the facts regarding their business and every one, without a single exception, had said that th ir business for this month was far better than it was for the same month last year and that there was not one but that said that they were much encouraged by the signs of prosperity. He said that while these individuals have been decrying the condition of things there were others who believed that if decency were given a show the carnival could be made a complete success. He said the citizens of Decatur, like Paul, were citizens of no mean city and should have a complimentary word for their town, instead of taking advantage of every occasion to speak disparagingly of it.

In reference to the resolution offered by Prof. Gastman regarding the saloon ordinance he said that it was not meant to reflect on the integrity or honesty of the mayor but simply to show that the sentiment of the church was against the ordinance. Whether the mayor did or did not veto the ordinance they were still prepared to give him their support and loyalty, granting him the right to his own opinion.

Mr. Bowyer also went on to say that it was a peculiar fact that it was not the men who would be most benefited by the ordinance who were asking for it and that he believed that so far as the ostensible purpose was concerned it was false and a reason other than given, existed. In other words it was a trap for the mayor. He said it was absurd to think that business men who could but find it to their advantage to eliminate every sort of intemperate feature from their business should ask for the privilege of the saloon keeping open an hour longer so that their employes could have time to buy a bottle of beer before they went home.

Nearly all of the ministers made the saloon ordinance a point in their talk on Sunday morning. Rev. Frost Craft said that all the members of his church ought to make the mayor know that they were with him if he vetoed the ordinance. He said he did not mean that there should be anything dictatorial about it but that they should express their sentiment against it. He said it was the mayor's privilege to use his own authority in the matter and that it was a mistaken idea that the council was the legislative body.

See Them.

Allen and Dellmay in their triple song and dance tonight at Riverside park. Free.

"DeWitt's Little Early Risers did me more good than all blood medicines and other pills," writes Geo. H. Jacobs, of Thompson, Conn. Prompt, pleasant, never gripe—they cure constipation, arouse the torpid liver to action and give you clean blood, steady nerves, a clear brain and a healthy appetite. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shilling, East End Drug Store.

Hear Allerton

Freeman sing "How Would You Like to Be the Ice Man," and lots of other new song tonight at Riverside. Free. Free.

The accident that happened to Scott Stewart would have been averted had it been an Insurance gasoline stove.—6-dtf

See Miss Mable Dellmay in her soft shoe dance tonight at Riverside park.

Mt. Clemens Sprudel Water sold by Decatur Brewing Co.

At Riverside tonight. Hear the banjo playing.

—Fred Kaylor of Pekin was in the city Sunday, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kaylor. Fred is connected with the Steinwetz jewelry house, one of the largest establishments in Pekin or Peoria.

FIVE MEN KILLED.

WHITE CLOUD, MICH., July 31.—A threshing machine engine exploded today near Big Prairie. Charles A. Alpha, Charles Crabtree, George Overly, Ceil Priest and Raymond Howe were killed and Oscar Evans and George Haight severely wounded.

BURGLARY AT SPRINGFIELD.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., July 31.—Thieves entered the large retail dry goods house of James Furlong here this morning and carried away $1000 worth of fine silks. The burglars evidently make a specialty of this line of work. Entrance was effected through the rear door. No clue to the guilty party.

WAR PRIZE MONEY CASE.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Admiral Sampson today began a suit in the supreme court of the District of Columbia in his own behalf and that of his men who took part in the destruction of Cervera's fleet for the prize money. The suit is similar to that recently begun by Admiral Dewey.

"BILLY" GRAHAM INDICTED.

CHICAGO, July 31.—The grand jury today voted a true bill against W. A. S. Graham, former secretary and business manager of the board of education and who failed of re-election at the recent meeting of the board, charging him with the embezzlement of $34,000. This sum represents a portion of a check for $50,000 given Graham by County Superintendent Briggs, which remains unaccounted for.

AGAIN IN AMERICA.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., July 31.—The Nebraska regiment came ashore this morning and went into camp in the Presido, preparatory to being mustered out. Immense crowds lined the streets and cheered the war worn veterans.

All Favor Veto Power.

Most of the churchgoers yesterday united in petitioning the mayor to veto the midnight closing ordinance. The feeling of the law-loving element of the community was expressed in the manner the petition was received at the tent meeting last night. The tent was crowded and surrounded with throngs of people. Just before the sermon the petition was presented by Rev. Marion Stevenson for the pastors and churches of the city. The great throng rose as one man in support of a motion to present the petition to the mayor. The pastors of the city assure his honor that he has the support of the moral and Christian sentiment of the city in his administration and they earnestly ask him to give due weight to those elements in the matter of the moral interests of the citizens of Decatur.

Last Night at the Pavilion.

There was another big crowd out to see Fred O. Sunday night entertainment. Tonight there will be an entire change in the bill. Allen and Dellmay trio in great three act, introducing banjos, all kinds of dancing and crayon sketch drawings. Allerton will sing "How Would You Like to Be the Ice Man," and a bunch of new ones. Wilbur Starling will sing four ballads. Miss Owens will introduce living statuary, and Fred, Kittie, Allerton and Billy Fudge will put on a funny after piece. All free.

Allerton in Luck.

Allerton Freeman has joined Fred and Kitty Owens for good, so he says. When the park season is over they will play the leading vaudeville houses in a musical skit written by Fred Jones and Miss Earl Remington. They will break it in this season while playing at Riverside park. They are in the bill every night. It is free to those who go out on the cars.

Property Sale.

At 2:30 o'cock Tuesday afternoon, August 1, Mrs. Nettie Depew, administratrix of the estate of H. C. Depew, will sell at public sale an undivided one-half interest in lot 1, block 1, Durfee & King's addition, property located at the corner of North Water and Marietta streets. Frontage of 91 feet on Water street.

If you want something cooling and healthful, try Mt. Clemens Sprudel Water and Rhine wine.

Masonic.

Special communication of Ionic Lodge, No. 312, A. F. & A. M., this evening at 7:30 o'clock, for work. Enos Kepler, W. M.; J. S. McClelland, Secretary.

The Trio.

Allen, Dellmay and Allen in their great triple act, introducing banjo playing, buck and wing dancing, skirt dancing and crayon sketches. All free at Riverside tonight.

STRUCK BOSTON.

BOSTON, July 31.—The messengers of the Boston District company struck this morning for an increase of pay.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

OLD SETTLER GONE

Andrew Chapman Died at His Home Near Casner.

HE WAS WIDELY KNOWN

And Had Lived in the Community for the Past Forty Years—Survived by Wife and Five Children.

Andrew Chapman, one of the old settlers of Macon county, died today at his home near Casner. He was widely known throughout the county and had been a farmer in the community in which he lived for the past 40 years.

The deceased is survived by the wife and four children. They are A. E., E. B., John and Jessie Chapman and Lola Wilson and Grace White.

Mr. Chapman was born August 11, 1826, in Jackson county, Ohio, and he was the son of James Chapman. He came to Illinois in 1851 and made the journey on foot. The same year he was married to Miss Margaret Butz, who died 17 years ago. Mr. Chapman was married a second time to Miss Eva Flora. The deceased resided on his farm near Casner since 1867.

The time of the funeral will be announced later.

Hear him at Riverside tonight.

$17.50 to Atlantic City, N. J.

Via Vandalia-Pennsylvania August 10. See Millspaugh and get itinerary. Telephone 2654.—18-d10t

Drink Mt. Clemens Sprudel Water in hot weather.

"How Would You Like to Be the Ice Man." Hear Freeman sing it tonight.

Beware of substitutes. Mt. Clemens Sprudel sold only under trade mark label.

Two gasoline stove accidents Saturday. Had they used an Insurance gasoline stove they never would have happened.—6-dtf

AN UNWELCOME FIFTEENTH.

One Too Many Children, and an Appropriate Name Was Given Him.

A couple of tourists who were journeying on horseback in the rural district of the south had ridden many miles, when they came to a small log cabin, out of which children of all sizes and ages came swarming like bees from a hive.

The tourists were tired and ravenously hungry. Hailing an old negro at the cabin gate they told him that they had come to take dinner with him.

"Yo' is welcum, gemmen!" he said "I ain't got much ter eat, but I'll do the ve'y bes' I kin fo' yo', gemmen."

Then, raising his voice to a shrill yell he said:

"Hi yo', Judas Iscariot, yo' run catch a chicken fas' ez yo' laigs kin carry yo."

"What do you call that boy?" asked one of the tourists.

"Judas Iscariot, sah."

"What did you ever give him such a name as that for?"

"Dat's a Bible name, sah, an' it has a meanin'. All de Eible names has a meanin', sah. Ise got fo'teen en' dey's all got Bible names, case de Bible names has a meanin', sah."

"What is the meaning of Judas Iscariot?"

The old man was very reticent about giving further information, and it required a good deal of persuasion before he finally said:

"Well, I'll tell yo', sah. Hit's like dis: Yo' see I'd had fo'teen chillun befo' Judas Iscariot was bawn, an' fo'teen chillun is a mighty big fam'ly fo' a po' man ter raise en keer fo', thout habin' no mo', so when Judas Iscariot came er long I gib 'im dat name caze you know de Bible hit say it'd be bettah fo' Judas Iscariot if he'd nebbah been bawn."—Detroit Free Press.

A Training Table.

"Mrs. Hashem," said the star boarder, "I have a friend who wants to board with you."

"I can accommodate him, Mr. Smart," said the lady, delightedly. "I suppose you recommended our table?"

"Yes; that's what impressed him most. You see, he's a pugilist, and he wants to increase the length of his reach."—Catholic Standard and Times.

Effect of Diet on Disposition.

Some authorities hold to the idea that a child's disposition is largely governed by his diet, citing the gentleness of the rice-eating races against the quarreling of meat-eating children in proof. While this may or may not be true, it is certain that wholesome food reacts to produce a wholesome temperament. "Pork and pie," says an old doctor, "is as pernicious as original sin," which is putting it with forcible if blunt philosophy.—Chicago Chronicle.

No Cameras in the Navy Yard.

Strict orders have been issued at the Brooklyn navy yard that no camera fiends shall be admitted. So many of them swarmed there that they became a nuisance. They ran over everything, invaded the innermost recesses, burrowed into holds and officers' cabins, snapping this and that. The commandant got tires and put his foot down.—Chicago Chronicle.

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One Cent a Mile.

Tickets sold at Vandalia Line stations September 1st to 4th, inclusive, return limit September 12th, 1899. Stop overs, circuit route tickets, and tickets with longer limit at slightly higher rates. Through sleepers, dining cars serve all meals. For particulars address nearest Vandalia Line Agent or Traveling Passenger Agents C. M. Wheeler, Terre Haute, Ind., or J. C. Millspaugh, Decatur, Ill. July 31-dtd

A Rare Chance at

Fine Wash Goods.

Nothing Reserved. Every class of Wash Goods from Lawns to Silk Organdies marked down to close out at

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15c Domestic Organdies to close at 5c yard.
Real Irish Dimities in choice patterns and new designs, at 10c yard.
Genuine French Organdies (not American fabrics) at 15c yard. Regular value 35c yard.
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50 pieces of Imported Scotch Ginghams in choice colors and patterns—the regular 25c quality at 12½c yard.
25 pieces of the finest Novelty Ginghams silk mixed effects—the 40c and 50c qualities at 29c yard.
500 yards of extra pure linen for skirts at 8c yard.
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Men's all wool Cassimere and Cheviot Suits, well made, neat pattern, splendid value at $5 and $6, to close, choice at
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Men's good Business Suits, in all wool fabrics, neat checks and plain effects, $7, $7.50 and $8.50 suit, your choice at
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Men's Fine Suits—all of surplus stock—in light and dark shades; suits that are all right in every way. Sold at $10, $12, $13.50 and $15; to close, choice at
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THE STEIN-BLOCH TUXEDO COAT SPRING 1899.

100 pairs of Good Cassimere Pants at $1.00.
Choice of 200 pairs of Pants, value up to $5
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Choice of 150 suits, ages 3 to 7 reefer—value up to $4.00. Choice at.....
Special Sale of Two-Piece Suits, ages 7 to 15— At.....
BOYS' WASH SUITS at
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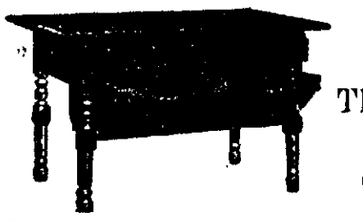

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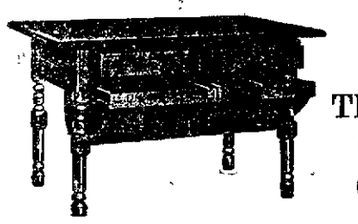

$3.98.

This Full Size Kit Cabinet This Week Only for $3.98.

Ten days more of our July Clearance Sale. We must make room for goods yet to come.

Our Loss Is Your Gain.

Furniture of all kinds has advanced from 10 to 25 per cent. We bought car load after car load before the advance. We have every foot of available space in our immense store full now, and rather than rent additional room we propose to give our customers the advantage of the low prices these goods were bought for.

BUY NOW! If you wait until fall you will pay the advance; but don't blame us. We are ready to save you this advance if you buy now. No trouble to show goods. Come and see THE BIGGEST STOCK OF FURNITURE you ever saw in Decatur.

We will sell you a lot of CARPETS AT PRICES THAT WILL INTEREST YOU.

THE BIG FURNITURE STORE,

Bachman Bros. & Martin Co.

240, 242, 244, 252 East Main Street.

Palace King Furnace...

I have the exclusive sale of the old reliable PALACE KING FURNACE.

Now is the time to have your furnace looked after.

C. J. Ferguson,

W. L. FERGUSON, Manager. | *658 E. Eldorado st.*

LOCAL NEWS.

Caldwell's street carriages, 15 cents to any part of the city. Leave orders at Greider's Restaurant, old telephone No. 1831.—mch31-dtf

Smoke the Little Joker—5 cent cigar

If you are in need of footwear Rodgers & Clark's ad. will certainly interest you.—28-dtf

You pay a little more for the clothes that Deuz makes but—

If you want plastering done call on the Decatur Hard Plastering Co. Laying of sidewalks a specialty, using the best quality of cement Perry & Oren.—may 16-dtf

Smoke the Little J. Guarantoed to contain no artificial flavor.—1-dtf

A. T. Summers makes loans, large or small. Any security. Reasonable rates.—d&w

Norman Gouker will open a meat market at 346 North Main street on Tuesday, August 1. He will handle all kinds of fresh and cured meats, fish, poultry, butter and eggs, celery, etc. Both 'phones 1563.—27-4t

Niagara Falls, Tuesday, August 8, via Peoria, Decatur and Evansville Ry. Via boat or rail, whichever you please. See the agents of the P., D. & E. for information regarding side trips and limit.—dtd

Only a limited number of official maps of the city left. For sale by W. E. Colladay, City Engineer's office or L. Chodat's news house.—may5-dtf

Through cars will be operated on the P., D. & E. Ry. excursion to Niagara Falls, an excursion which has no equal as a pleasant outing.—25-dtd

Granite and marble monuments of new and fine designs. Iron reservoir vases very handsome, at Grindol & Son's, corner East Main and Franklin streets.—may 16-dtf

Official maps of the city, size about 5 feet square, for sale by W. E. Colladay, City Engineer's office or L. Chodat's news house.—may5-dtf

—Mrs. J. R. Race and daughter, Miss Edith Race, who have been in California for the past six months, arrived home today.

The sale of permits and privilege for the Illinois state fair of 1899 will be held on the state fair grounds at Springfield, commencing at 10 o'clock Thursday morning, August 10, 1899.

J. K. Dickirson, Supt.
Permits and Privileges.
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Niagara Falls and Return, $8.50 from Decatur.

On Tuesday, August 8th, the P., D. & E. Ry. will run its annual excursion to Niagara Falls at the above rate, giving passengers their choice of an all rail trip or trip Toledo to Buffalo by steamer. For a pleasant outing, no other excursion offers such opportunity. Call on nearest ticket agent for particulars, or write G. A. Smith, G. A., Peoria, Ill.—25-dtd

Atlantic, N. J.

On August 10, the Vandalia Line will run a very cheap excursion Decatur to Atlantic City, N. J., at rate of $17.50 for the round trip, with return limit 15 days. This remarkably low rate affords an opportunity for you to spend your vacation at this renowned resort on the Atlantic ocean, the splendid time and service of the Vandalia-Pennsylvania enable you to leave Decatur at 7:40 a. m., arriving at Atlantic City at 2::15 p. m. next afternoon. For full information see J. C. Millspaugh, T. P. A. Telephone 2654.—20-10t

New School House.

The old Malone school is to be moved away and a new building erected. The contract for the work has been let to Pierce & Layton. The building is to be of frame 24x86 feet in dimensions and the cost will be about $600. The work will be started this week and will be finished as soon as possible.

North Star's are odorless and cleanable.—6-dtf

In New Suits.

The elevator boys in the Powers building blossomed out today in new suits. The suits are made of a cadet grey cloth and have bright steel buttons and are quite neat.

The Appetite of a Goat

is envied by all whose stomach and liver are out of order. But such should know Dr. King's New Life Pills give a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25c at John E. King and Charles F. Shilling's drug stores.

MARKETS.

FURNISHED BY B. Z. TAYLOR.

CHICAGO, July 31.

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.	Yesterday.
Wheat—					
July	70	70	68⅝	68⅝	70⅛
Sept	70	70	69⅝	69⅝	72⅝
Dec	71⅝	72⅛	71⅛	71⅝	72⅝
Corn—					
July	31	31⅜	31	31	31⅛
Sept	30⅝	1⅛	30⅝	30⅝	31⅜
Dec	28⅝	29⅜	29	29⅛	29⅝
Oats—					
July	23	23	20⅛	20⅛	23
Sept	19⅝	19⅝	19	19⅜	19⅝
Dec	19⅝	19⅝	19⅛	19⅛	19⅝
Pork—					
Sept	8.40	8.47½	8.25	8.25	8.82½
Lard—					
Sept	5.32½	5.32½	5.21½	5.22½	5.40
Ribs—					
Sept	5.00	5.05	4.93	4.90	5.15

To-Day's Receipts—Our Loop.
Wheat—102; Estimated, 119, a year ago, 198.
Corn—681; Estimated, 489, a year ago, 502.
Oats—691; Estimated, 410; a year ago, 436.

Estimates for Tomorrow.
Wheat, 160; Corn, 723; Oats, 510.

Hogs.
Hog receipts, 28,000; estimated, 30,000.
Market 5c higher.
Light, $4.40@$4.67½; Mixed, $4.35@$4.65; Heavy, $4.40@$4.60; Rough, $4.25@$4.30.
Estimated for to-morrow, 17,000.

Cattle.
Receipts, 17,000; market strong.

REV. NEWCOMER ON INGERSOLL

Church of God Pastor on the Agnostic.

SUMMARY OF THE SERMON

Delivered Sunday Morning—Good and Bad Traits of Character—Some of Bob's Failures.

The Sunday morning service at the Church of God chapel was very impressive. Dr. Newcomer preached from I. Peter 4-12. One very active Christian man united with the church. The prelude was on the life and character of Robert G. Ingersoll.

The speaker said that Robert G. Ingersoll had some noble elements of character. He said he was humane, the lover of liberty, the friend of the oppressed and a hater of shams. His political life was honest and shone as a star upon his dark surroundings. Intellectually, Ingersoll was brilliant, witty and sarcastic. His oration at the grave of his brother was a gem of classic beauty, but its rythmic music was a wail. He depended upon his redundant and exhuberant fancy, rather than hard facts. He was no logician and almost wholly lacked the keen analysis of argumentative reasoning. In theology his postulates were false because he began wrong. He did not recognize moral responsibility to a supreme being. This involved a denial of sin and virtually a denial of God. He answered the cry of the heart with a sneer. He honored childhood, but failed to recognize the fact that Christianity crowned the child as the king of life. He used his great powers to pelt and smash the temple of God, but gave the world no temple but that of selfishness. He would rob the world of religion and give it no equivalent in return.

He gave us his opinion of Moses, and it would be interesting to have Moses' opinion of him. He canonized those beatitudes in accord with his opinion, but would not allow Christ to express an adverse opinion. Many professed Christians do the same thing. They will not change their imperial opinins, even at the dictation of Jesus Christ.

He never attempted to answer the vital doctrines of Christianity. He believed in liberty, so did Christ; but Christ's proclamation of liberty reached the soul, freeing it from sin including malice, hatred, selfishness and bigotry. He believed in compassion and mercy. So did the Christ, with the difference that Ingersoll believed this was innate in man, a part of human goodness, while Christianity teaches that all goodness is of God. He believed in the elevation and freedom of woman, but failed to see that Christianity is, the very thing which exalts her. This shows that very often the cry of bigotry eminates from those who are the veriest bigots. Justice, truth and righteousness, must determine the whole realm of our moral conduct. God's estimate of what is right is the only criterion by which to judge moral action. This was Mr. Ingersoll's mistake. His predisposition toward the supposed independence of self, without the moral restraint of God's law, brought him to that plane of reasoning where his freedom to strike his best friend is assumed to be the exercise of liberty, when it was but the struggle of a soul in bondage, striving to be free. Those who never fully explore the temple of thought are always the vandals who would destroy its beauty. Some Christians are like the great agnostic in carrying their creed on the point of a lance, rather than in their hearts, where it may control the whole realm of life. We cannot put our laws of selfishness upon Christ's statute book and then claim that as the law of life.

TERRE HAUTE EXCURSION.

Several Hundred Persons Went From Decatur.

Several hundred persons from Decatur took advantage of the cheap excursion to Terre Haute on Sunday. The train left this city at 7 o'clock in the morning and arrived at Terre Haute at 10:30 a. m. The Goodman band went from here and was one of the seven bands which visited the city. All of the bands combined and played as one while they paraded the streets. In the afternoon at the race track there was music by all of the bands. The train left on the return trip at 6:30 p. m. and arrived in Decatur at 10:30 o'clock. The crowd was an orderly one and those who went from Decatur say that they had a pleasant time. Goodman's band played five selections at the park. The clarionet solo by Prof. Walter was enthusiastically applauded, as were all of the pieces played.

L. H. RUDE ARRESTED

In Springfield Last Night for Assaulting a Man—Claims He was Justified.

The following item appeared in the Springfield Journal of today:

"L. H. Rude, a Decatur tailor, was arrested last night on charges of assault and disorderly conduct. The complaint against him was made by a traveling man named Thornton, whom Rude assaulted at Fifth and Jefferson streets. Thornton claims that the assault was entirely unprovoked, that he had never seen Rude before and that he was at a loss to know why the Decatur man attacked him. He thinks Rude was wildly drunk and was looking for a fight.

"Rude made a statement after he had furnished bond in the case, to the effect that Thornton had insulted him and had struck him three times with a cane. He exhibited a welt on one of his arms which he said had been inflicted by his opponent and he said that, under the circumstances, there was nothing for him to do but give Thornton a thrashing. He said he would have been less than a man had he done otherwise.

"Regarding the origin of the trouble Rude said he did not care to discuss it as a woman's name would become involved in the matter. He stated that he did not intend to cause the arrest of Thornton."

PERSONAL.

—Dr. Fithian of Springfield was in the city.

—Dr. H. S. Hinman of Newton was in the city en route from Springfied.

—Peter Perl was in Taylorville today on business.

—Dr. W. H. Penhallegon left today for California, where he will spend the month of August.

—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Fife of Indianapolis spent Sunday with Mrs. Fife's father, Mr. Bold.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elwood have returned from a visit at Mt. Clemens, Mich.

—Mrs. H. P. Bachman and baby have gone to Mexico, Mo., to join Dr. H. P. Bachman, who has decided to permanently locate at that place.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carpenter of Brooklyn, N. Y., are in the city. Mr. Carpenter will leave in a few days, but Mrs. Carpenter will visit in the city for the rest of the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Scovill.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Augustine will leave tomorrow morning for a week's trip which will include a visit to Chicago, Milwaukee, Waukesha and other points in Wisconsin. Mr. Augustine will return on Saturday next, but Mrs. Augustine will remain at Waukesha for several days longer.

—Mr. and Mrs. V. N. Hinkle left yesterday for Minneapolis, where they will spend a few days, after which they will visit Mrs. Hinkle's sister, Mrs. John Calvin of Eau Claire, Wis. Mr. Hinkle will also visit the mill at Osakis, Minn.

Pennsylvania lawn mowers, Scovill Co.—6-dtf

CHICAGO MARKET

Affected by the Yellow Fever Outbreak.

CHICAGO, July 31.—The outbreak of yellow fever at the National Soldiers' Home at Hampton, Va., caused activity and a break in the provisions today on the Board of Trade. Weakness was especially apparent on pork, in which liquidation was heavy and persistent. September pork closed at $8.82½ Saturday; opened this morning at $8.40 to $8.45, touched $8.50, slumped to $8.30. Lard and ribs are less weak. The grain markets were also weak in sympathy.

MARRIED TEN YEARS.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Mrs. Mabel R. Littell, daughter of Gen. Green B. Raum, former pension commissioner, was today granted an absolute divorce from her husband, J. Reed Littell, a prominent patent attorney of New York city. Desertion was given as the grounds for the divorce. He and Mrs. Littell were married in 1889 and formerly lived at Washington, D. C.

DOUBLE EXECUTION.

SING SING, N. Y., July 31.—Louis Pullerson and Michael McDonald were electrocuted in prison this morning. Pullerson was a negro porter. He killed his common law wife, Kate Smith, white, in New York, strangling her in a fit of jealousy. McDonald was a beef carrier who murdered Stephen Titus, a time keeper in the packing house in which McDonald was employed, while drunk.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT.

WINSLOW, ARIZ., July 31.—A light engine ran into the rear of a freight train a few miles west of here. Engineer McLeod and Brakeman Constable were killed. Conductor M. H. Frame was seriously injured.

PRESIDENT'S WIFE BETTER.

PLATTSBURG N. Y., July 31.—The president took his customary walk this morning. Mrs. McKinley continues to improve.

T. P. RODDY DEAD

Passed Away Last Night After a Short Illness.

DEATH OF DR. G. W. RYAN

Occurred Last Night at His Home in Niantic—Lived in Macon County Many Years—Funeral of Charles Breeden.

Thomas P. Roddy, the well known painter and wall paper man, died at 10:20 o'clock Sunday night, July 30, at his home, 560 North Church street, aged 70 years. Mr. Roddy had been in failing health for the past year and for two weeks past was confined to his bed, but his condition was not considered dangerous until the last few days. A complication of diseases was the cause of death.

T. P. Roddy was born in Pennsylvania May 16, 1829. He lived in that state until 16 years ago, when he came to Illinois and settled in Decatur. When a boy he learned the trade of wall paper hanger and painting for nearly 50 years following the business. He is survived by a wife and three children, Frank P. Roddy of Chicago and Mrs. J. H. Hoke and Mrs. F. P. Butt, both of Decatur.

Mr. Roddy joined the Christian church 31 years ago and held a membership in the Church Street Christian church of this city.

The funeral has not yet been decided upon but will be some time Wednesday. The services will be held at the Christian Tabernacle and Rev. George F. Hall will officiate. The burial will be at Greenwood cemetery.

DR. G. W. RYAN.

Dr. G. W. Ryan, one of the old residents of Macon county and well known as a practicing physician, died Sunday night at his home in Niantic. The deceased had lived most all his life in this country. He was in Missouri for a number of years but in 1891 returned to Niantic and has since practiced medicine at that place and was quite widely known. He is survived by the wife and one son, Charles W. Ryan, who is agent for the Wabash at Ivesdale. Dr. Ryan was aged 50 years.

The time of the funeral has not yet been announced but will probably take place on Wednesday or Thursday.

FUNERAL SUNDAY.

The funeral of the late Charles M. Breeden was held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Services were held at St. Louis, where the death occurred. The remains were escorted from the Bullard undertaking establishment to Greenwood cemtery by the members of Dunham Post, No. 141, G. A. R. At the grave the G. A. R. held a burial service, the chaplain officiating. Music was rendered by a choir composed of D. L. Bunn, John Patin, Miss Edna Bunn and Miss Dot Keeler.

Mr. Bunn years ago sang at the funerals of Mr. Breeden's father, mother and sister, and it was by the request of the widow that a choir of which Mr. Bunn was a member be selected.

Mr. Breeden was quite well known in St. Louis as being connected with the state fair. He was somewhat of an expert in that line and each year was engaged to make suggestions.

New departure lawn mowers at Scovill's.—6-dtf

White Man Turned Yellow.

Great consternation was felt by the friends of M. A. Hogarty of Lexington, Ky., when they saw he was turning yellow. His skin slowly changed color, also, his eyes, and he suffered terribly. His malady was yellow jaundice. He was treated by the best doctors, but without benefit. Then he was advised to try Electric Bitters, the wonderful stomach and liver remedy, and he writes: "After taking two bottles I was wholly cured." A trial proves its matchless merit for all stomach, liver and kidney trouble. Only 50c. Sold by John E. King and Charles F. Shilling, druggists.

Crowd at Riverside.

Riverside park was the drawing card in Decatur yesterday. There was no place else for the people to go and they flocked to the park both in the afternoon and at night. At the latter time a concert was given in the pavilion and every seat in the place was occupied. Several of the local musicians and vocalists took part and the audience seemed to be pleased with the entertainment.

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Wednesday Wedding.

The marriage of Miss Nellie Batchelder and Forest Brown, both of Warrensburg, will occur on Wednesday, August 2, at the residence of the bride's mother, three miles east of Warrensburg.

Excursion.

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THE LARGEST FLAG.

Chicago News: The largest flag in the world is to be exhibited under the auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution. It was made during the Spanish-American war by Miss Josephine Mulford of Madison, N. J. There are 335,000 stitches in the flag, one for each soldier and sailor engaged in the war. The flag is 100 feet long and 65 feet wide, and the blue ground measures 40 by 35 feet. The stripes are 5 feet wide and each star is 2¾ feet in diameter.

There is also a sentimental interest connected with several of the stars of the flag, as they were made at places in the various states which are associated with the great events of American history. Thus, the Philadelphia star was partly made at the house of Betsy Ross in the room in which she made the first American flag. Then it was worked upon at Carpenter's hall, in the room where the first continental congress assembled, and partly while sitting in Hancock's chair in Independence hall. The New Jersey star was made at Washington's headquarters at Morristown; the Maryland star was made at Fort McHenry, in honor of Francis Scott Key; the Virginia star was made in the Lafayette room in Washington's Mount Vernon home; the New York star was partly made at Faunces' tavern, where Washington bade farewell to his officers and it was finished on board the flagship New York.

Each of the 45 stars is embroidered with the name of the state it represents and the date of admission into the union. They are all arranged in chronological order. According to the New York Times the flag is to be presented to the nation on the first anniversary of the signing of the recent treaty of peace.

Globe-Democrat: Strikes occur in good times as well as bad. In 1877 and in 1894 they occurred, when there was a stagnation of business all over the country. They took place in 1882, when trade was fairly active, and they are "on" now in many cities, though business is more brisk and wages are higher than for many years. In fact, there is a tendency to strikes when a trade revival begins. The present labor disturbances are the only unpleasant feature in the trade situation. In comparison with the number of persons employed, of course, the number engaged in strikes is the smallest since the beginning of the decade. Moreover, in most of them the end is already in sight. There will be no such disturbance as occurred during the Debs insurrection of 1894.

In May and June Havana exported merchandise valued at $3,975,023, of which $3,329,817 came to the United States. Spain is next with $291,215. The figures are a striking demonstration of the intimate trade relations between this country and Cuba.

BURDENS ARE MANY.

Decatur Citizens Have Their Share.

Burdens of life are many,
Some people have more than their share.
Pretty hard to bear the burdens of a bad black.
Its aches and pains make you miserable.
Learn the cause and remove the burden.
Most backache pains come from sick kidneys.
Must cure the kidneys to cure the back.
Doan's Kidney Pills will do it.
Lots of Decatur proof that this is so.
Read what a citizen says:
Mrs. A. J. Thompson of 928 North Main street, carpenter, says:
"For years my kidneys were irregular and caused pains across my back I used plasters but they benefitted me only for the time being and when their effect wore off the pain returned. There was also too frequent action of the kidney secretions which contained a heavy sediment. I learned of Doan's Kidney Pills; got them at a drug store took them and gradually the pain began to leave and the other symptoms to disappear. I continued the treatment until I was cured."
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OUTLANDISH STATUES.

Sculptors Who Amused Themselves by Modeling Eccentricities of Prominent Men.

Early this year a mysterious parcel arrived from South Africa at the studio of M. Van Bouwn, the sculptor, which parcel it eventually transpired contained a hat, the property of President Krueger. As M. Van Bouwn was engaged on a 14 meter high monument, the top of which was to consist of a counterfeit presentment in bronze—somewhat exaggerated in size, perhaps, in order to emphasize the importance of the subject—of the sylph-like proportions of Oom Paul, the Debats, considerably perturbed at the idea of a "topper" gracing the head of a statue, plaintively remarked that it opened a new chapter in art, and apparently resented the two-foot high chapeau that is to grace the Oom Paulian head.

As a matter of fact the "topper" bedecked statue has made several appearances in public in this country. For 45 years generations Glasgow gamins have appreciated to the full the bronze headgear conveniently (for the reception of well-aimed stones) held upside down by the statue of James Oswald M. P.

Dunchurch, near Rugby, is graced by a statue of Lord Douglas Scott that holds a wide-awake in the left hand while Reading possesses a statue of George Palmer that does not only perpetuate a top-hat in bronze, but also an unfolded umbrella. There is said to be a monument extant in Amsterdam that boasts a pair of slippers, under which the Dutch equivalent for "exactly" is written.

The monument is in memory of an individual who, fully assured that he would die on a certain date, parceled out his available capital so as to allow him to live in the lap of luxury until that time, and no further. When he died with punctuality and dispatch his relatives found, when his debts were paid and affairs cleared up, that the remaining assets consisted of a pair of slippers and nothing more, and, entering into the humor of the situation they had, says the legend, the monument erected.

If a mere pair of slippers can give rise to a story such as the above, what can one expect from a statue that boasts of a bronze umbrella? Reading is undoubtedly to be congratulated. Is it too late to make a similar addition to the Krueger trophy?

In days of yore the embellishment of statuary with pigments enjoyed a certain amount of popularity, but the practice in more modern times fell into desuetude, until a short time ago it was revived with great success in the neighborhood of Forestgate, a neighborhood unassociated heretofore in a forward policy as far as art is concerned.

In the front garden of a certain villa Laocoon and his two sons were portrayed through the agency of plaster of paris in the act of struggling with the serpents unkindly sent by Minerva for the purpose of pointing out that the policy of the priests of Apollo in endeavoring to dissuade the Trojans from allowing the celebrated Bailey and Barnum freak of the period, the wooden horse, to enter their town, was a decidedly unfriendly act.

The owner of the group, evidently struck with the pigment idea, one red (not to mention, blue, green and black) letter day painted the father bright blue, the two sons a cheerful green, while the serpents with their bright scarlet skins picked out with black spots were absolutely unique—at all events as far as natural historians are aware. After such an exhibition of enterprise it was unkind of some practical joker to scale the railings at dead of night and place battered hats on the head of each figure, for such an action was quite sufficient to make the classical group an object of ridicule.

Once when asked for a subscription toward a statue to the memory of a certain contemporary who had during his life been somewhat hardly treated, Dumas replied: "Let them take the stones they threw at him during his life. They will make a tremendous monument," and also it might be added a novel one such as would excite the envy of those sculptors who turn out the unique—as regards the material worked upon—statues so popular at exhibitions.—London Mail.

SAVING THE SILVER.

Interesting Process of Treating Old Utensils Before Turning Them Into Coin.

Perhaps the most interesting scheme for the recovery of waste silver at the local mint is that applied to the utensils of the melting gang. The big iron stirring rods, the dippers, the strainers and the ladles that come in contact with the molten metal are laid aside at intervals and sent downstairs. They are covered with what looks like brown rust, but is really oxidized silver. Suppose, to digress a moment, one desired to get a coat of paint off of the outside of a house. In such event the plan of scraping away the house and leaving the shell of paint standing would be regarded as somewhat eccentric, yet that is substantially the method adopted at the mint. The implements are placed in baths of sulphuric acid, which attack the iron or steel but leave the silver untouched. Little by little, a strainer, for instance, will entirely disappear. That is to say, the original strainer disappears and leaves in its place a hollow silver counterpart, delicate as an egg shell. They are very curious, these fragile casts. Their surface is a sort of natural filigree, honeycombed with innumerable fantastic perforations. The reproduction of a bolt or screw is oftentimes as perfect as an electrotype, but they are hurried remorselessly back to the crucible and thus pursue their cycle until at last they find their Karma in a minted coin.—N. O. Times-Democrat.

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It sometimes happens that a plagiarist is one who writes a play.

FOREIGN GOSSIP.

The population of Berlin on May 13, 1899, was 1,817,248.

Bavaria, with a population of 5,818,-506, spends $84,800,000 a year on beer.

In St. Petersburg is the largest bronze statue in existence—that of Peter the Great, which weighs 1,000 tons.

It is calculated that in moving about from one place to another, the people of Great Britain spend about £150,000 a day.

The odor of musk, which was mixed with the mortar when the Sophia church in Constantinople was built, is still perceptible.

The Spanish are among the most charitable people on earth. Without a poor tax, Spanish communities of 50,000 self-supporters feed a pauper population of 5,000 or more.

At Canton the average number of executions is about 300 per year, but in 1855 50,000 rebels were beheaded. The headsman formerly received 16s. a head but the supply and competition have reduced the wage to 2s. apiece. Most of the criminals who are beheaded are water pirates or land bandits.

A young doctor and a girl of 19 committed suicide in a Vienna hotel, having first bequeathed their jewelry, which they declared was "imitation," to the chambermaid who attended them. The latter cared so little for the trinkets that she bestowed them upon a friend The friend has discovered that the jewelry is genuine, and worth about $5,000 The chambermaid has begun suit for the recovery of the gifts, declaring they were given away under a misapprehension of their value.

A club is now being formed in Paris the members of which swear never to shake hands with anyone unless they are wearing gloves. Many members of the aristocracy have shown their willingness to support the organization and a fine is to be imposed upon all members who are caught shaking hands without gloves. The formation of this curious club is undoubtedly the outcome of a recent discussion in a French medical journal. This paper endeavored to show that disease has occasionally been contracted by shaking hands without gloves.

SIXES WON THE MINE.

Big Stake Hazarded by Montana Mine Owners Upon a Single Throw of the Dice.

Gen. Charles S. Warren, a pioneer of Butte, but now a resident of Spokane and Miles Finlen shook dice in the summer of 1882 for a copper mine then valued at $750,000 and now at a cool $1,000,-000. The mine adjoined the Anaconda and was held jointly by Warren and Finlen. The latter is at present a wealthy mine operator at Butte, and is noted everywhere as a plunger in stocks, on horse races and in a political campaign. In the latter amusement he makes the millionaires of Butte hold their breath when he offers to wager reckless sums on his favorite candidate

Warren and Finlen had owned the property for some years, but had been unable to agree upon the method in which it should be worked. They met one day in Lynch Brothers' saloon, and the old wordy quarrel was at once renewed as to the relative values of different methods of working the mine.

"I'll sell you my interest for what it cost me," said Finlen.

"I don't want your interest," replied the general.

"Well, I'll buy your interest."

"Don't want to sell," retorted the general.

"Well, I'll shake dice with you to see whether you or I own the mine," Finlen rejoined, with some warmth.

Warren hesitated a moment. His friends believed Finlen was bluffing, but Warren knew the man. The mine was a valuable one. After considering a moment Warren took his hands out of his trousers' pockets and remarked:

"Miles, I'll go you."

"Give us the dice box!" yelled Finlen to the bartender. The ivories were produced.

"What do you want to shake?" asked Finlen.

"Any way will do me," replied Warren.

"Any way will suit me, too," said Finlen. "Now, name your game."

"Name yours," curtly replied Warren.

"One flop, aces high, then," said Finlen, as he rattled the dice in the box.

"Aces high goes," said Warren, "the winner to set up the wine for the house."

"That suits me. Here goes," said Finlen, as he spilled the dice on the bar.

"Two sixes. I got you, Charlie, this time," as he passed the box over to Warren.

"That looks good, but I think I can beat it, Miles," said Warren as he tossed the dice out.

There was not a pair in sight.

"Ace high is a good hand sometimes, but it loses this time, Charlie," remarked Finlen, as he threw a $100 bill on the bar and added: "Give the boys what they want, bartender."

The next day Mr. Warren made out the deed.

The mine was later sold to the Anaconda company by Mr. Finlen. Three years ago the adjoining claim was sold for $760,000 to Marcus Daly.—Spokane Spokesman.

Hot Men-of-War.

The hottest ship in the fleet around Cuba was said to be the St. Paul—not her upper works, but down in the hold. But she was not a marker to the Cincinnati, in whose hold temperatures as high as 205 degrees were registered. In one of the firerooms was located a forced draft blower to which it was impossible to give proper attention on account of the intense heat. When Capt. Chester went below to investigate he had his face scorched. Water boils at 212 degrees.—N. Y. Press.

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Children's 10c vests at 5c.
Ladies' $1.00 Oxford low shoes at 50c.
5c crash toweling at 2½c yd.
Lot 7c toweling at 3½c.
Lot 19c linen towels at 10c.
25c sun bonnets at 10c.
Ladies' $1 50 gowns at 98c.
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20c boxes 4 cakes soap at 10c.
$1.50 kind umbrellas at 98c.
75c kind umbrellas at 49c.
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Boys' 35c waists at 19c.
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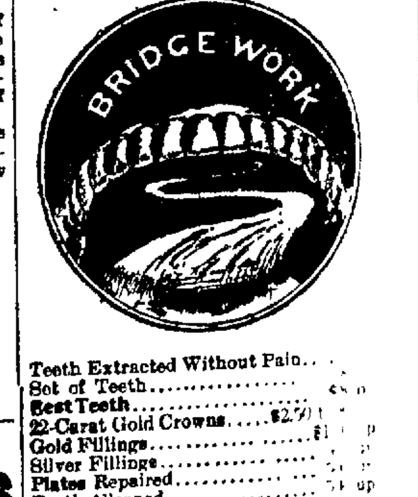

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ECHO MEETING.

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MISS DRENNAN'S PICTURES

On Exhibition at Melcher's Store

... re are on exhibition in the ... windows of the Melcher's art store on ... North Main street some very creditable ... in water colors, drawings and ... sketches. Miss Eunice Drennan, ... has been studying at the New ... Teachers' Art College with a ... of fitting herself for the position ... of drawing teacher in a public school, ... the artist. The water colors are ... from still life and authorities ... are speaking very highly of ... Quite a number of the pictures ... collection were exhibited in ... New York last winter.

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W. R. C.

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At ... meeting of the Christian ... Society of the First Baptist ... this evening echoes will be ... the recent B. Y. P. U. ... at Richmond. The most ... incidents of the trip and ... features of the conven... be touched upon. There will ... Richmond, Old Point Com... Washington and their sur... Rev. and Mrs. S. H. ... and Miss Nita Clark will ...

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Refractory Prisoners and ... Were Subdued by an I... man's "Gun."

During the war of the rev... justice was meted out ... Tory proclivities who ... obnoxious to the rob... which had begun to asse... consideration and a ... ally given to those wh... der the cloak of tory sym... alty to the king pla... their patriotic nei... after the revolution ... scribed an incident ... of interest:

"In the spring of ... to Bethlehem and ... settle that had winter... entered Albany on our ... in State street a pr... character moving ... We perceived seven ... white, and soon lea... of that unfortunate ... men, who to had ... had added crimes ... even a state of war ... Schodack they had ... selves by a series of ... to be patiently endu... munity, and when they ... mers their fate ... These men had been ... time in the city pris... made their escape, but ... their liberty for a few ... the whole city was ... saw them moving to ... where they were to ... Indignation was also ... their conduct in pris... cumstances attending ... brought to suffer the ... law. They were confined ... band room of the lower ... prison. The door of ... swung in a place ... level of the floor. When ... to take them out he ... headed. He proc... timber, with which ... ered to batter down ... he was assisted by ... and willing individuals ... tempt the voice of one ... was heard threatening ... who persevered in ... the assertion that ... of powder to blow up ... their assailants. Indi... ascertained that a ... had passed into the ... how could not be kn... ward found placed ... arranged to produce the ... sult

"The sheriff could ... trance, while a crowd ... on to see the end of the ... test. Some one suggest... getting to them thr... and immediately went ... feet a passage by ... through. While th... prisoners renewed ... vows of vengeance ... certain. The assailants ... severed, and, as I was ... never heard contradic... fire engine, and placed ... duce the hose sudden... the ceiling, and at a ... the room beneath ... ly performed. The p... were in an instant ... Still, however, to desc... faculty, as but one ... at a time. The disprop... al strength that appa... first intruder, prevent... any further attempt ... man by the name of Mc... merchant exclaimed ... Irishman's gun and ... He was provided insta... midable cudgel and ... hand he descended ... moment in which he ... he leveled the prisoner ... continued to lay ... until the room was ... party of citizens who ... distance through the ... ing. After a hard ... secured and the door ... barricaded with brick ... fireplace, was opened

"They were almost ... cut for execution, and ... ficiently exasperated to ... taken their punishment ... hands. The prison ... when men up ... aspect of great gloom ... No one appeared to ... their own hopes of ... some fortunate circum... intervention of the ... vanished forever. ... few minutes at the ... and there upon ... construction, they ... able lives."

This execution to ... now occupied by some ... residences on the ... emy Park.—Albany ...

Wonderful Horse

In the ... to do ... are many ... soldiers have to ride ... rough country ... strong, wise horses ... places. First they ... gravel banks, making ... down steeper places ... at last the horse w... over a high bank th... up, sit down upon ... slide down, giving a ... near the bottom, th... on his feet.—N. Y. ...

Foreseeing Disease

In a recent lecture ... Elihu Thomson ... physicians had been ... tube, to detect the ... crobes of pneumonia ... fore any symptom ... felt by the patient, ... ble by ordinary ... nations.—Youth's ...

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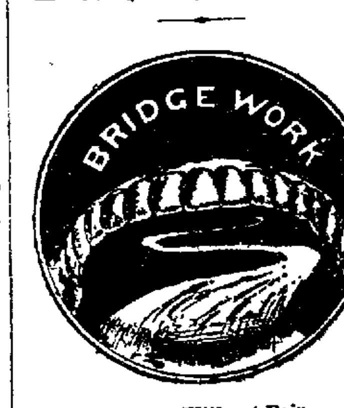

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ECHO MEETING.

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MISS DRENNAN'S PICTURES

On Exhibition at Melcher's Store.

... are on exhibition in the ... of the Melcher's art store on ... street some very creditable ... water colors, drawings and ... sketches. Miss Eunice Drennan, ... has been studying at the New ... Teachers' Art College with a ... fitting herself for the position ... drawing teacher in a public school, ... artist. The water colors are ... from still life and authorities ... are speaking very highly of ... Quite a number of the pictures ... collection were exhibited in New York last winter.

Spent a Good Farm Doctoring.

Mr. A. N. Noell of Asherville, Kansas, ... spent a good farm doctoring ... for chronic diarrhoea but got no ... I was afraid that he must die ... to get hold of a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and was permanently cured by it. For sale by J. E. King and ... Shilling.

W. R. C.

The regular meeting of Dunham Relief Corps, No. 4, will be held in G. A. R. hall Tuesday, August 1, at ... o'clock. All are urged to be present as there is business of importance. Emma L. Brown, President; ...a H. Mark, Secretary.

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Echo Meeting To-Night.

... meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Baptist ... young echoes will be ... from the recent B. Y. P. U. ... at Richmond. The most ... incidents of the trip and ... important features of the conven... touched upon. There will ... Richmond, Old Point Com... Washington and their sur... and Mrs. S. H. ... Miss Nita Clark will ...

... ladies of the Christian ... will give a social at ... Mrs. Charles Fletcher, ... west of town, this even... ice cream and cake will be ... and ... literary program given.

The ... Missionary society of ... First Presbyterian church will ... a ... picnic at the resi... Hill on Friday ...

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HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

INCIDENT OF THE REVOLUTION

Refractory Prisoners and How They Were Subdued by an Irishman's "Gun."

During the war of the revolution stern justice was meted out to all persons of Tory proclivities who made themselves obnoxious to the robust Americanism which had begun to assert itself. Scant consideration—and a rope—was generally given to those wretches who, under the cloak of tory sympathy and loyalty to the king, plundered and robbed their patriotic neighbors. Shortly after the revolution, a writer thus described an incident which will be found of interest:

"In the spring of 1778 we went down to Bethlehem and brought home our cattle that had wintered there. As we entered Albany on our return, we met in State street a procession of novel character moving slowly up the hill. We perceived seven persons dressed in white, and soon learned that they were of that unfortunate class of disaffected men, who, to bad political principles, had added crimes against society which even a state of war would not justify. At Schodack they had distinguished themselves by a series of desperate acts not to be patiently endured by the community, and when they were taken prisoners their fate seemed inevitable. These men had been confined for some time in the city prison, and had once made their escape, but only to enjoy their liberty for a few hours. Indeed, the whole city was under arms when we saw them moving to the fatal spot where they were to suffer. The public indignation was also much excited by their conduct in prison, and the circumstances attending their being brought to suffer the sentence of the law. They were confined in the right-hand room of the lower story of the prison. The door of their apartment swung in a place cut out lower than the level of the floor. When the sheriff came to take them out he found the door barricaded. He procured a heavy piece of timber, with which he vainly endeavored to batter down the door, although he was assisted by some very athletic and willing individuals. During the attempt the voice of one of the prisoners was heard threatening death to those who persevered in the attempt, with the assertion that they had laid a train of powder to blow up themselves and their assailants. Indeed, it was well ascertained that a quantity of powder had passed into their possession, but how could not be known. It was afterward found placed under the floor and arranged to produce the threatened result.

"The sheriff could not effect his entrance, while a crowd of gazers looked on to see the end of the singular contest. Some one suggested the idea of getting to them through the ceiling and immediately went to work to effect a passage by cutting a hole through. While this was going on the prisoners renewed their threats, with vows of vengeance, speedy, awful and certain. The assailants, however, persevered, and, as I was informed and never heard contradicted, procured a fire engine, and placed it so as to introduce the hose suddenly to the hole in the ceiling, and at a signal inundated the room beneath. This was dexterously performed. The powder and its train were in an instant rendered useless. Still, however, to descend was the difficulty, as but one person could do so at a time. The disproportion of physical strength that apparently awaited the first intruder, prevented for some time any further attempt. At last an Irishman by the name of McDole, who was a merchant exclaimed: 'Give me an Irishman's gun, and I will go first.' He was provided instantly with a formidable cudgel, and with this in his hand he descended, and at the same moment in which he struck the floor, he leveled the prisoner nearest him, and continued to lay about him valiantly until the room was filled with a strong party of citizens who came to his assistance through the hole in the ceiling. After a hard struggle they were secured, and the door, which had been barricaded with brick taken from the fireplace, was opened.

"They were almost immediately taken out for execution, and the mob was sufficiently exasperated to have instantly taken their punishment into their own hands. The prisoners seemed to me, when moving up the hill, to wear an aspect of great gloom and ill nature. No one appeared to pity them, and their own hopes of being released by some fortunate circumstance, as by the intervention of the enemy, had now vanished forever. They arrived in a few minutes at the summit of the hill, and there, upon one gallows of rude construction, they ended their miserable lives."

This execution took place on a spot now occupied by some of the handsome residences on the north side of Academy Park.—Albany Argus.

Wonderful Horses.

In the Italian army horses are taught to do some wonderful things. There are many mountains in Italy, and the soldiers have to ride over some very rough country, so they train their strong, wise horses to climb over steep places. First they ride them up small gravel banks, making them go up and down steeper places every time until at last the horse will put its fore feet over a high bank that is almost straight up, sit down upon his haunches and slide down, giving a mighty leap, when near the bottom, that lands him square on his feet.—N. Y. World.

Foreseeing Disease.

In a recent lecture on electricity Prof. Elihu Thomson related how Boston physicians had been able, with an X-ray tube, to detect the presence of the microbes of pneumonia in the lungs before any symptoms of that disease were felt by the patient, or were even perceptible by ordinary pathological examinations.—Youth's Companion.

Congressman Ketcham of New York has served 13 terms and has never made a speech.

No one can ever borrow himself out of debt.

Men who live on little are called economists. and men who live on nothing are called tramps.

A man spends enough time wondering why his neighbors dislike him to make himself agreeable to them.

ECONOMICAL UNCLE SAM.

Even the Insides of the Mint Chimneys Are Scraped for Particles of Silver.

When it comes to money-making Uncle Sam can beat the world for stinginess. The artificial silver mine in the yard of the old mint premises is only one of the numerous schemes for checking waste. When the casters raise their glowing ladles from the metal pots a shower of sparks fly from the molten surface. They are mostly incandescent particles of carbon, but among them are the pin-points of silver, almost gaseous. Some fall among the ashes and clinkers beneath the furnaces, and when the fire boxes are raked out at night, the contents are scrupulously preserved. Down below, in the basement, is a great revolving crusher that grinds the debris into fine powder, and when enough accumulates it is sold by sample to a northern smelter and treated like ordinary ore. Nor is this all. Every evening the floor of the melting room is swept far more carefully than ever a lady's parlor, and the sweepings are preserved along with the ashes. Once in three months or so the soot is scraped out of all the flues and chimneys and finds its way to the same receptacle. From the ashes, clinkers, sweepings and soot of the New Orleans mint Uncle Sam derives a larger income than the average bank president. The crucibles used in melting are good for about three charges; then they are wheeled down to the basement, crushed and share the fate of the clinkers. The pores of their virgin sides are full of virgin silver and the gritty brown powder into which they are ground yield an average of $200 a ton. A worn-out crucible is really worth more than a new one.

In one corner of the melting room is a large iron tank in which the newly-cast silver bars are dropped, hissing, to cool off. At the end of a hard day's work the surface of the water shows a faint rainbow-hued scum, like the metallic luster of stagnant pools seen near a dyehouse. It comes in part from microscopic flakes of silver that have scaled off in the cooling. The water, when changed, runs down a pipe that terminates in the bottom of a cistern, which contains a layer of mud a couple of feet deep. As the water sweeps up and through the mud acts as a filter and catches the particles of precious metal, so in time it becomes an artificial silver mine. Once every quarter the stuff is scooped out and passed through a reduction process. The result is a silver brick, worth maybe $5½.—N. O. Times-Democrat.

WE ARE PARTLY HEATHEN.

Trifles in Everyday Life That Are the Remains of Ancient Pagan Worship.

Every mark of respect we pay to each other in the streets is a heathen act of worship.

Take the soldier's salute as an instance. When England was a province of the Roman empire our ancestors had to worship the Roman gods. The worshiper sidled up to the statue and threw a kiss with one hand. But in Roman times the emperor was also a god, and the salute was paid to him. Then it was paid to his viceroys, governors, generals and officers. It is still paid by the soldier to every officer. Though he doesn't know it, Tommy Atkins treats Lieut. Jones as a god.

In approaching a god or king, the ancients bowed the knee. To-day a servant approaching her mistress bows both knees, and the mistress approaching the queen bows one knee in courtesy. Men bow one knee to the queen, bow the head to a superior or employer, nod the head to an acquaintance. The nod is a survival of the Divine honors.

In approaching a god the Romans went uncovered. We uncover to ladies, in the presence of the queen, and at the sound of the national anthem. We uncover on entering a private house, but in Russia one must uncover in every shop and public house because the emperor's picture always hangs in a corner.

In Pagan times the king was always a god—or a descendant of the gods. So the ancient king demanded that Divine honors be addressed to him. He must be called "Lord." Sooner or later all the little kings were thrashed into obedience to one big king, who ruled the whole country. But the little kings kept the Divine title lord, and their descendants keep it to-day.

One common custom goes right back to the time when our forefathers were painted savages, and made human sacrifices to the gods. It is kissing under the mistletoe!—Chicago Evening News

Austrian Military "Discipline."

The discipline in the Austrian army is frequently almost savage in its severity. A young man of good family, Francis Stubam by name, who is serving as a private in the dragoon regiment stationed in Goeding, was recently five minutes late in returning to barracks after a brief leave of absence. His corporal commenced pummeling his head, and dealt him a blow which burst the drum of his ear. When he inhales air it escapes again from the injured ear. The unfortunate young man is disabled for life.—London Leader.

Sore Sign of Wealth.

Bank President—I think we'd better examine the cashier's accounts.

Vice President—Do you think he is embezzling?

"I am almost sure of it. He is growing very careless about his personal appearance. Only rich men can afford to do that.—N. Y. Journal.

Good Advice.

"Mind yoh talk, sonny," said Uncle Eben; "yoh kin git into trouble even by speakin' de truth when de truth doesn' happen ter be none o' yoh business."—Washington Star.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures dyspepsia because its ingredients are such that it can't help doing so. "The public can rely upon it as a master remedy for all disorders arising from imperfect digestion."—James M. Thomas, M. D., in American Journal of Health, N. Y. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. Shilling, East End Drug Store.

The poorest speaker may be the most animated thinker.

The sky, unlike a man, is the most cheerful when bluest.

DEBUT OF THE DOLLAR SIGN.

The Author of the Famous Character at Last Discovered in an Old-Time Vermonter.

Some weeks ago Dr. Marcus Baker, of this city, published in one of the magazines an account of a theory which he has to account for the origin of the familiar dollar sign. This has long been in dispute. All sorts of explanations have been given, the most common of which is that the initials of the United States are crossed. But there have been seven or eight other theories to account for the dollar sign which is about as good.

Dr. Baker, in his researches in the library of the bureau of education, came across an old book entitled, "A Compendium of Federal Arithmetic," designed for the use of schools, and especially calculated for the meridian of the United States, which was published at Lansingburg. N. Y., in 1797. Its author was Rev. Chauncey Lee, of Rutland, Vt. In this book the author sets forth a system of what he calls "characteristics," by which one vertical stroke was to designate the mill, two vertical strokes the cent, these two crossed by one s-shaped stroke the dime, and for the dollar the sign consisting of the two verticals with the two curved strokes, now so familiar, was proposed.

At that time the people of the country were just emerging from the use of pounds, shillings, and pence, where each was separated by a space from the next denomination. It accordingly seemed necessary to Mr. Lee to have an arbitrary mark for each of the denominations of our monetary system. But he soon found that one character, with the decimal point, was all that was necessary, and in the latter part of his own book all of his elaborate system of symbols, except the one intended to mark the dollar, was found to have been dropped.

Dr. Baker certainly finds the dollar sign in this old arithmetic, and he does not find it in use at any earlier date. By the time Adams' arithmetic was published in 1805, the symbol had become established. He therefore regards Mr. Lee as the inventor and believes the sign to have been absolutely arbitrary in its origin. Since the publication of his paper in one of the magazines, Dr. Barker has received many letters on the subject, but none in which his conclusions are challenged. He intends, for further verification, to make a study of the department records to see when the dollar sign first appeared in the treasury accounts. He also hopes to make a more thorough search of the old text-books to see if by chance any use of this sign prior to that of Rev. Chauncey Lee can be discovered. It is certainly interesting to know the origin of a thing in such constant use as the dollar sign. Dr. Baker's discoveries seem likely to take all the sentiment out of this matter, but this is the common result of modern historical research. — Washington Cor. Boston Transcript.

TRACING BY FINGER PRINTS.

System in India by Which Identification Is Made Absolutely Certain.

In detective novels finger prints left by criminals, preferably in blood, play an important part, but truth seems stranger than fiction in the fact that the finger-print system of identifying criminals in India has been made so perfect that it would enable any intelligent person in a few minutes to distinguish the individual, if necessary, from all other persons now living in the world, or, if data were available, from all other persons who have lived since the creation of man. The system is simplicity itself, and there is none of the elaboration of process or the costly and delicate machinery required for the anthropometric system. All that is needed is a piece of tin, a sheet of paper and some printer's ink. The inked impressions of the ten digits are taken and filed in the proper compartment of the proper pigeon-hole, and it is on the classification of records and their distribution into the pigeonholes that the success of the system depends.

Every finger mark shows lines of the "loop" or the "whorl" type and by a simple table of the combinations of these types in the ten digits 1,024 main classes are made. These are again subdivided according to minor details, and the subdivisions can be further divided ad infinitum if necessary, but with the table before him any person of ordinary intelligence can place his finger on the corresponding card to a record in his hand within five minutes, no matter how many thousand cards there may be. It is calculated that the chances are about 64,000,000 to 1 against any two persons having single fingers identical, and the chances against all ten fingers being identical go beyond mathematics altogether.—London Globe.

Babies at a Premium.

Mail advices from Madagascar state that the French authorities are collecting a tax of 15 francs on every unmarried male native over 25 years of age, and of 7½ francs on every native woman over 21 years of age who has not a child, legitimate or illegitimate. Many natives borrow children when the tax collector arrives and return them to their parents as soon as the tax collector has gone on.—Dalziel.

The Sequel.

"Did you ever laugh until you cried, Tommy?"

"Yes, only this morning."

"What at?"

"Well, pa stepped on a tack and I laughed; then pa caught me laughing and I cried."—Chicago Evening News.

A Definition.

Tommy—Paw what is a pessimist?

Mr. Figg—He is the man who of two evils prefers both.—Indianapolis Journal.

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96 pairs Women's tan and black Juliettes and Prince Alberts, sizes 2½ to 4, were $2.00 and $2.50 pair, reduced to.................50c & 75c

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John F. Zingsheim, Esq., of No 9 Lark Street, Amsterdam, N. Y., writes: "I was afflicted with piles for four years brought on by heavy lifting. My suffering was extreme and the piles gradually increased in size notwithstanding the fact that I tried many different kinds of treatment. After becoming physically incapacitated and unable to work at all, and after much hesitation I wrote to you. I am very happy to state that your advice has done me great good. You advised Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, also his 'Pleasant Pellets.' They have cured me. I thank you most heartily for what you did for me. All suffering has entirely vanished and I have gained about twenty five pounds in weight. I used only one bottle of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and one vial of the 'Pellets.'"

Piles is a disease that is usually treated locally with ointments which are well enough in their way but do not touch the cause.

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IMPORTANCE OF THE JOCKEY.

Modern Horse Racing Methods Have Exalted the Successful Rider Among Men.

The jockey is an important creature. There are plenty of men that can ride horses; there are even a respectable number that can race them with judgment; but owing to the custom that has grown up of racing horses under weights they would not have to carry in ordinary work, the number of men that can ride and race horses at the weight called for by the handicapper is very small. In horse racing the thing desired is extreme speed, and evidently with 90 pounds up a horse can do far better than with 150; hence no race horse on the flat is required to carry the weight of an average man. This state of affairs gives to midgets like Tod Sloan and Maher an importance they w... d have in no other way, and is perhaps nature's way of compensating them for their inferiority in size to the ordinary man.

A really successful jockey, as everyone knows, can almost command his own price. Besides his regular salary, which would pay those of several college professors, he is likely to receive gifts of several times the amount of his salary after any winning race. When an owner has won a small fortune on a few seconds' work of jockey and horse he is in an expansive mood, when the world looks large and seems to be mostly in his own pocket. The successful jockey has, therefore, a chance to earn a competency as well as much short-lived fame, if he be honest—but his honesty, unlike a man's innocence before the law, has to be proved, rather than taken for granted unless disproved. His opportunities and temptations for dishonesty are very great and neither his breeding nor education usually leads to the greatest moral development.

If an owner, after a successful race, is willing to give his jockey a good bit of money a bookmaker before a race, to insure large winnings to himself, is willing to be even more liberal with a jockey open to inducements. And not only jockeys, but starters, can be manipulated so as to alter the results of races. And the more easily that while winning a race is comparatively difficult, losing one is comparatively simple. Horse racing presents a curious circle; it cannot be made to pay without betting; betting leads to all kinds of crookedness, and crookedness kills racing. In England they seem to have outlived our stage of the game, where alternative waves of disgust and reform sweep over racing. In England racing has a social standing it has not attained here. Perhaps the largest leisure class there has led a better and more independent sort of men to take up horse racing, one not in it for profit alone, and not to be bullied by those that are.—N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.

Wants a Good Deal.

A gambler always wants a good deal for his money.—Chicago Daily News.

A Little Known Fact,

That most serious diseases originate in disorder of the kidneys. No hope of good health while the kidneys are wrong. FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE is guaranteed to make the kidneys right. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Hubbard.

Joel Chandler Harris works mostly at night. He rarely takes pen in hand before 10 p. m., and daylight frequently finds him still at his desk.

Emperor William of Germany is said to be the originator of the illustrated postal card fad. Every village in Europe now has its own specially designed card.

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One man said: "I smoke the Chanson as long as I can."
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"Must be long to be short."

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

Italy has only a dozen commercial schools of all grades.

Kintichi Bataoka, president of the diet at Japan, is a Presbyterian.

There are 1,298 more scholars on the rolls of the Sunday schools of Ireland than last year.

Charles Darwin's statue, the gift of Prof. Poulton, has been put up in the Oxford university museum next to the statue of Sir Isaac Newton.

It is said that every ton of coal mined in England pays 12 cents as royalty to support the Church of England, whether the owner of the mine or the workers in it ever enter a parish church or not.

Miss Catherine Tuttle, of Columbus, O., has given Hobart college, of Geneva, N. Y., $20,000 for scholarships, and Miss Maria Hopper, of Philadelphia, $10,000 to Bryn Mawr college for a scholarship foundation fund.

Mrs. Fannie Nast Gamble, daughter of the late William Nast, founder of the German Methodist Episcopal church in America, has endowed the "William Nast chair of theology" in the German Wallace college.

The London Y. W. C. A. has recently formed two new departments. These are for the help of blind and deaf girls, to whom the advantages of the association are now secured by means specially adapted to their needs.

The number of Sunday schools in the Reformed church is 932, with a total enrollment of 123,059. These schools during the past year contributed $12,289.45 for foreign missions, $8,136.17 for domestic missions and $172.12 for education, an increase in the gifts of the Sunday schools over last year of $719.12. Eighteen hundred and twenty scholars were received into the full communion of the church.

MAGIC IN THE HORSESHOE.

This Has Been the Tradition from Time Immemorial in All Countries.

Horseshoe magic is a subject which seems to be of perennial interest, mainly because it touches that little substratum of superstitious beliefs which is inherent in most of us, though, being a materialistic people in a material istic age, and having put away from ourselves childish things, we none of us confess to it. As a matter of fact, however, we are always, either literally or metaphorically, turning over our money when we see a new moon or picking up a rusty horseshoe as a harbinger of luck. But the point that never seems to be reached in these magazine discussions is the circumstance that, initially and intrinsically, horseshoe magic has nothing to do with horseshoes. It existed long before horses were ever shod, and it has left traces of its presence in places where horses have never been known.

In comparatively modern times the horseshoe over the door—nailed to the lintel with the points uppermost, be it noted—has been chiefly regarded as a protection against witchcraft, a belief which has survived in its modified "luck-bringing" form to the present day. But the horseshoe-shaped mark has been a mystic symbol from immemorial days, and all the modern superstition has done has been to fit it to the horseshoe. I have seen the mark, sometimes painted and sometimes cut, on ancient shrines and temples in the interior of China; it has been in use for many centuries in India; it is to be found in the Aztec ruins and on the stonework of buried cities discovered recently by Dr. Schlichter in the region now known as Rhodesia.

It has been found incised on the sacred Churinga stones of the the tribes of central Australia and painted on the bodies of such of the tribesmen as have gone through the religious mysteries peculiar to these aboriginal survivors. Messrs. Spencer and Gillen tried last year to induce the tribal priests to expound the horseshoe mystery to them, but it was either too sacred or too obscure, and they learned nothing save that the mark was an indispensable part of their mystic rites. The horseshoe mark is found also in British Guiana, in the region of the Amazon, in Georgia and Illinois, in Zululand, in the temple of the Goddess Mut in upper Egypt and on innumerable dolmens, kists and bowlders in the British isles, but always with the points uppermost. In so far, therefore, as antiquity confers respectability, horseshoe magic is preeminently respectable. The only awkward thing about it is that we do not know what terrible mysteries it may have originally signified, or to what pagan rites we may be unwittingly committing ourselves when we nail the rusty symbol over our lintels.—St. Paul's Magazine.

High Price for Straightness.

One of the difficult problems in practical mechanics is to make a "straight-edge." How difficult it is may be judged from an incident which occurred in the shops of J. A. Brashear, the astronomical instrument-maker. A customer asked Mr. Brashear what would be the price of "a perfect straight-edge of glass 36 inches long." "It can't be made absolutely perfect," said Mr. Brashear, "but it could probably be made with a limit of error amounting to only a fraction of a wave-length of light." "How much would that cost?" "About $40,000!" It turned out that the customer wanted the straight-edge for a scraper, and that an error of one-sixty-fourth of an inch would have been insensible for his purpose.—Youth's Companion.

Two Meanings.

"What a bird-like appetite she has," remarked an admirer to the crusty old bachelor who is helping the family entertain her while she is visiting it.

"Bird-like? I should say so. Anything from turkey to reed birds."—Detroit Free Press.

No man ever lets his acquaintances know how small he really considers himself.

"I have received more benefit from one bottle of FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE than from months of treatment by physicians," writes V. B. Conklin of Bowersville, Ohio. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Hubbard.

M. Millerand, the socialist minister of commerce in the French cabinet, is one of the best informed men in Europe in regard to American affairs.

HE WAS MEEK.

But When His Wife Was Around He Was a Surprisingly Different Man.

He was a big enough man, but he looked so meek that he seemed rather undersized. And he was meek. Ladies getting on a street car recognized him at once as a hen-pecked man, and cast a disdainful glance on him by way of thanks for the seat he always gave up with an apologetic air as if he had been guilty of a misdemeanor in sitting in it in the first place. Men flecked their cigar ashes on him and turned to apologize, but seeing his meekness concluded not to take the trouble. The girls at the restaurants slammed down in front of him the leathern steaks that had been sent back by more fastidious customers, and the market people gave him fruit that would rot before he got it home. In fact, he got the worst of it everywhere, but he never complained, and let humanity trample on his corns with patient forbearance.

Jones in particular seemed to have it in for the meek man, whom he in derision called "Fighting Mollie," and the ingenuity of Jones in devising indignities for his spiritless victim was worthy of a better cause. People pitied Fighting Mollie a little, because Jones was a large, florid-faced man who had no mercy and was insolent just for fun. But Jones made a mistake one day in the park. He stepped up to the meek man, pounded him on the back, smashed his hat down over his eyes and tweaked his whiskers. "Just wanted to wake you up, Mollie, my boy, to say hello."

The meek man gasped and turned to a handsomely-dressed lady standing nearby, to whom he said a word or two, and then came back to Jones, whom to that gentleman's surprise he grabbed by the collar.

"Just come behind the band stand here a moment," he said, calmly. "I want to discourse a bit with you," and he dragged Jones away out of sight and hearing of all except the few of us who followed.

"Look here," he said, "that's my wife over there, and she thinks I'm a real man. She's going to keep on thinking so. My doctor has been telling me to avoid all excitement, and I am. I'm as cool as a gin rickey, but I'm d—d if I don't take a little violent exercise and warm up."

Then he gently but firmly proceeded to batter Jones' face.

The next day he looked as meek as ever, but somehow or other after that we took to handing him cigars now and then.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

OOM PAUL'S SPIES.

How the Crafty President of the South African Republic Learned British Secrets.

No one ever denied that Oom Paul, president of the South African republic, was an astute old statesman. Time and again he has beaten our British cousins in diplomacy and has proved his worth as a diplomatist.

At the time of the Jameson raid it caused Dr. Jameson and his associates considerable surprise that their plans were known to the Boers almost as soon as they were conceived. The British were met, fought and defeated by an ambushed body of men almost at the very beginning of their attack, and it was believed at the time that one of their number had turned traitor and given the plans to the Boers, but now the secret is known.

The old warrior enlisted the services of the barmaids at Johannesburg in the political secret service. Through them he learned that new men were being enlisted in the Cape police, and that new guns were being shipped, week after week, from England. Through the same source he was informed of the attempts that were being made by English politicians to force the hands of the government of the Orange Free State in case war should be declared by the British government against his country. The Englishmen babbled all this over their cups, and the barmaids' winning smiles and bright eyes never gave them the suspicion that they were telling secrets of vital importance.

No sooner had the pretty barmaids enticed from the sturdy colonists their important secrets than Oom Paul was informed. The old statesman knew how to parry blow with blow. To the amazement of the British, no sooner had they increased their force of available fighters by means of secret enlistments than they were informed that Oom Paul had enlisted a still larger number of men. No sooner had their guns arrived from England than they found out that the Boers also had obtained, from a firm in Germany, a larger number of weapons of still better manufacture. By means of always being forewarned Kruger warded off war.—N. Y. Herald.

A Sudden Engagement.

Man Looking for a Flat (to friend)—I tell you, these landlords are perfect brutes. They seem to think children have no right to live. Every decent apartment I find the agent tells me no children are taken.

His Friend—You come up to our building. No objections there—house full of children. I've five, you know. The third flat is vacant, too. Man and wife moved out last week because there were so many children. Come home with me now and look at it.

"H'm, thanks—er—I'm afraid I can't to-night, old man. I just recall an engagement I can't put off."—N. Y. World.

Education Finished.

"The parcel postman has just called at the Twickenhams', next door, and left a football, a bicycle, two cricket bats, a package of sweaters, a pair of spoon oars and a bundle of golf sticks." "Then their daughter must be home from college and her education finished."—London Figaro.

Would Have Cost Him His Life.

I have been using Foley's Kidney Cure and take great pleasure in stating it gave me permanent cure of kidney disease which certainly *would have cost me my life*. I recommend it to any one afflicted with kidney trouble.

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—H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. Hubbard.

Numerous newspapers in Georgia advocate the nomination of General Joseph Wheeler for governor by the Democrats.

THE MOUTH OF THE HORSE.

One of the Most Sensitive Parts of the Equine Anatomy Often Neglected.

In a foreign journal a veterinarian writes as follows: During the many years in which I have been engaged in the practice of veterinary medicine, there is nothing that has been more forcibly brought to my attention than the indifference shown by most people to the condition of the horse's mouth. They seem to think the mouth never becomes deranged, when in fact it is one of the most sensitive organs of the equine economy. All young horses coming three and four years old should have their teeth and mouths carefully examined when any symptoms of tenderness are shown in the mouth, as it is at this age that some of the milk molars are replaced by the permanent ones.

In some cases the crown of the former is only partially displaced, and gives rise to much pain and annoyance to the horse. I have seen a young horse that had its throat blistered with liniment, and was treated for distemper, when the trouble was due to a displaced crown of a milk molar, which, upon removal, gave instant relief. Again, in some horses the structure of the teeth is of a comparatively soft nature, and wears rapidly on the grinding substances in a ragged and uneven manner, which severely cuts and lacerates the tongue and cheeks. This defect may be easily remedied by the use of a mouth rasp, an instrument that may now be found in nearly all hardware stores. To heal the raw surfaces, a little alum and borax dissolved in water will act effectually. This humane method, if pursued by people who own horses, will prevent much suffering to the horse, and at the same time amply repay the owner in the improved appearance of his animal, and in many cases prevent the loss of much food by quidding and slobbering.

A few words in regard to those bugbears of most horse owners—namely, lampas, so-called, and wolf teeth. Lampas is supposed by most people to possess some mysterious power over a horse, whereby his appetite becomes deranged. They, therefore, resort to cutting and burning the poor brute's mouth under a mistaken notion of curing the lampas. The writer has been engaged in the care of horses for 25 years, and has yet to see a horse that was affected physically in any way by lampas, except in the imagination of the owner. It is the same with the so-called "wolf teeth." These teeth are the vestigial remains of premolar teeth that in the remote ancestors of the horse were functional, and they have become, through disuse, mere rudiments, as it were, of their former selves. They do not, by some occult means, affect the eyes of horses and cause them to go blind, nor are they responsible, as some good people contend, for a horse being in poor condition.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Swiss Cream.

A Swiss cream, with cherries or raspberries, is served in glasses, and made like this: Take one pint of trick sweet cream, mix in one-half pound of sugar, the rind and juice of one lemon, three wineglasses of white wine—California hock, for example. Stir all this together thoroughly, and then put it on ice for a few hours. Whip the mixture as you would whip cream with an egg beater or a cream churn, removing the foam, and fill the glasses until you have used all. Place a small macaroon and a few cherries or other fruit on top of each glass of the cream.—Boston Budget.

Cooing and Billing.

The cooling is done before marriage—the billing afterward.—Chicago Daily News.

Judge Archibald A. Glenn, formerly state senator and lieutenant governor of Illinois, has been elected city treasurer of Wichita, Kan. Judge Glenn is 80 years old.

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Special Rates.

Boston, Mass., account L. A. W., August 14th to 19th, rate ... round trip, $21.65. On sale Aug. 11th and 12th, good return... Aug. 20th. Will be extended to Aug. 31st by depositing with ... and payment of 50 cents.

Philadelphia, Pa., account G. A. R., Sept. 4th to 9th, rate $1... Niagara Falls. On sale Sept. 1st to 4th, good returning to Sept ... Will be extended to Sept. 30th by depositing with joint agent ... payment of 50c.

Danville, $2.95 round trip; account emancipation celebr... Tickets sold August 4th good returning up to and including ...

Havana, $2.90 round trip, account Havana Chautauqua As... ...ets sold Aug. 2d to 14th, good returning till Aug. 15th.

Put in Bay, Ohio, account Knights of Columbus Outing ... round trip. Tickets sold August 2d, good returning ... Put-in-Bay up to and including Aug. 6th.

Columbus, Ohio account national meeting American Ass... Advancement of Science, $9.40 round trip. Tickets sold Aug ... 20, good returning till Sept. 15.

Urbana, account Twin City Chautauqua, Aug. 18-27, 18... round trip. Good going Aug. 17 to 27 inclusive, limited to ... until Aug. 28.

Richmond, Ind., account Friend's Bible Institute $6.65 ... for just half fare. Tickets sold July 24th to 31st good ... Aug. 5th.

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Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance ... decree of the circuit court of Macon ... the state of Illinois entered in the ... entitled cause at the May term of said ... A. D. 1899, I, James J. Finn, master in ... of said court, will on

... the 16th day of August, 1899, ... of 2 o'clock p. m., at the north ... court house on East Wood street ... of Decatur, in said county, offer ... public vendue to the highest and ... the real estate in said decree ... to be sold, being described as ...

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... Decatur, Illinois this 24th day of ...

... J. FINN, Master in Chancery.
... Gibson, Attorneys for Com...

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
... COUNTY,
... Court of Macon county, Illinois, ... A. D. 1899.

In Chancery.

... affidavit filed in my office, that ... Fahay, defendant in the above ... a non-resident of the State of Illinois ... is hereby given to you the said ... that the above named com... filed her bill of complaint in said ... chancery side thereof, which said ... pending, and that summons therein ... of said court against you, the ... J. Fahay, returnable on the first ... term thereof, to be held at the court ... Decatur on the first Monday of October ...

Now unless you the said ... and appear on the first day of ... said court, and plead, answer or demur ... bill of complaint, the same will be ... against you and decree ... to the prayer thereof.

... 13th day of July, A. D. 1899.

D. L. Foster, Clerk.

... Atty's for complainant. July 17 4w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss.

Circuit Court of Macon County, October Term, A. D. 1899.

... Wilhelmy vs. Estelle V. Wilhelmy ...

Affidavit of the non-residence of Estelle V. ... defendant above named, having ... the office of the clerk of said ... of Macon county, notice is hereby ... said Estelle V. Wilhelmy that the ... filed his bill of complaint in said ... chancery side thereof on the ... A. D. 1899, and that a summons ... issued out of said court against said ... Estelle V. Wilhelmy, returnable on ... day of October next, 1899, as is by ... required.

Now unless you the said Estelle V. Wilhelmy ... be and appear before the said ... of Macon county, on the first day ... term thereof, to be holden in Decatur ... county on the first Monday of October ... plead, answer or demur to the ... bill of complaint, the same, ... and things therein charged and ... taken as confessed and a decree ... you, according to the prayer of ... bill.

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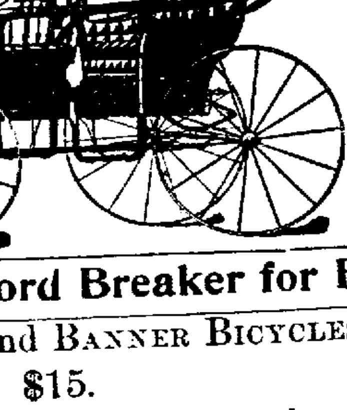

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..., Mass., account L. A. W., August 14th to 19th; rate one fare ...trip, $21.65. On sale Aug. 11th and 12th, good returning to ...h. Will be extended to Aug. 31st by depositing with joint ... payment of 50 cents.

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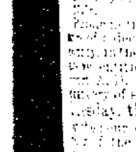

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Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, ss.

In the Circuit Court.

... Six et al., Complainants, vs. Christia A. ... et al., Defendants—In Chancery; No. ...

... is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, entered in the above entitled cause at the May term of said ... I, James J. Finn, master in chancery of said court, will on ...day, the 15th day of August, 1899, ... of 2 o'clock p. m., at the north ... of the court house on East Wood street, ... of Decatur, in said county, offer ... public vendue to the highest and ... the real estate in said decree ... sold, being described as follows:

... half of the southwest quarter and the ... half of the west half of the southwest quarter ... and the southwest quarter of the northeast ... the southeast quarter of the north... quarter, all in section 32, township 15 ... east of the 3d p. m., in Macon ...

Terms of Sale: Cash in hand.

... part of the premises described as the ... of the northeast quarter, and ... quarter of the northwest quarter ... will be sold subject to a certain mortgage ... now held by H. ... & Co. of Taylorville, ... the sum of $1,100, to mature on ... July, 1900, together with ... notes for $70 each, of which ... 15.9, and one will be due ...

... of title to said premises may be ... of the attorneys for complainants.

... at Decatur, Illinois, this 24th day of ... A. D. ...

JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery.

... Gibson, Attorneys for Complainants.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, ss.

... Court of Macon county, Illinois. ... D. 1899.

... In Chancery.

... affidavit filed in my office, that ... defendant in the above entitled ... non-resident of the State of Illinois ... hereby given to you, the said ... that the above named complainant ... bill of complaint in said ... side thereof, which said ... and that summons thereof ... said court against you, the ... Fahay, returnable on the first ... thereof, to be held at the Court ... on the first Monday of October ... now unless you, the said Thom... Fahay ... appear on the first day of ... and plead, answer or demur ... complaint, the same will be ... against you and decree rendered ... to the prayer thereof.

... day of July, A. D. 1899.

D. L. Foster, Clerk,

... for complainant. July 17-4w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss.

Circuit Court of Macon County, October term, A. D. 1899.

... vs. Estelle V. Wilhelmy—...

Affidavit of the non-residence of Estelle V. Wilhelmy, defendant above named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Estelle V. Wilhelmy that the complainant filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, on the 18th day of July A. D. 1899, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, Estelle V. Wilhelmy, returnable on the first Monday of October next, 1899, as is by law required.

Now unless you, the said Estelle V. Wilhelmy, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of October, 1899, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said bill.

D. L. FOSTER, Circuit Clerk.

W. ... Boggess, Complainant's Solicitor.

July 20-4w

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Boston, Mass., account L. A. W., August 14th to 19th; rate one fare round trip, $21.65. On sale Aug. 11th and 12th, good returning to Aug. 20th. Will be extended to August 31st by depositing with joint agent and the payment of 50 cents.

Philadelphia, Pa., account G. A. R., Sept. 4th to 9th; rates $17.60, via Niagara Falls. On sale Sept. 1st to 4th, good returning to Sept. 12. Will be extended to Sept. 30 by depositing with joint agent and payment of 50 cents.

Lake Chautauqua, for $16.25 round trip; tickets sold July 28th, good returning till August 27th.

Richmond, Ind., account Friends' Bible Institute; $6.65 from Decatur—just half fare. Tickets sold July 24th to 31st, good returning to Aug. 5th.

For full information regarding dates of sale, limits of tickets, rate, maps and descriptive advertising matter write or apply to C. A. Pollock, Ticket Agent I. D. & W. Railroad, Decatur, Ill.

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SELF-INVITED GUESTS.

What a Country Housewife Thinks About Unannounced Visitors from the City.

Women living in the country find the problem of self-invited guests from the city a rather vexing one. While we all have dear friends or relatives that we are glad to entertain, there are few of us who do not know what it is to be called upon to entertain people from the city who only come to see us because we live in the country, and they want somewhere to go.

I have in mind two families who live together—father and son. The son's wife had been sick for some time, and was just able to be about again. There were several little children, requiring much care, and the mother-in-law was nearly worn out with the double amount of work which she had to do. A young lady friend, living in the city, had a visitor from another city whom she decided to entertain by taking to the country to spend a week, and, without invitation, she brought her to this home.

In an adjoining neighborhood, a similar case occurred. Two young ladies wrote to an acquaintance, saying that they wished to visit the country, and asking if it would be convenient for them to come for a week. The reply was this: "We are haying, and building a barn, and have many workmen, making 15 in our family. I have so much work to do, in consequence, that I could not possibly do anything to entertain you." By return post there came a letter, saying: "We will arrive Thursday night. We can entertain ourselves." They brought a lawn tennis outfit, made themselves agreeable to the men-folks, enjoyed the cool places in the house and on the porch, and exclaimed over the delights of living in the country. They returned home rested, leaving mother and daughters, who had been obliged to toil all day long over the hot stove, feeling anything but rested.

I know of a case where a family of four came for a week's visit after being told that it would be most inconvenient to have them that week, as the housewife was painting, papering and housecleaning without help. They did not hesitate to make their wishes known as to what they wished to eat, where they wanted to go, and how they wished to be entertained, and they returned home offended because things had not turned out as they thought they would.

I know a number of instances where city folks have written to friends or relatives in the country, saying: "The children need a little country air during vacation, and so we have decided to send them to you. Please meet them at the station on such a day." So they send them, without asking or caring whether they are wanted, and trusting that they will not be sent home so long as they are willing to stay.

One may like to entertain, but summer is a busy time on a farm, indoors and out, and most women have all they can do in hot weather without taking care of company. It does seem as if the farmer's wife ought to be considered. City relatives have no business to ask permission to come out visiting during the summer time. They should wait to be invited, or stay at home. There are many overworked women on farms who cannot say "No" in response to letters from city friends inviting themselves to a rest on the farm; they meekly submit, hoping the Lord will give them strength to get through with it. As a rule, the people who invite themselves to spend a week on the farm are not those who will entertain you for a week in the city. Indeed, they will not offer you one meal if they can get out of it. I once met a woman whom I had entertained for a week, and who, when she chanced to meet me in the city, said, not with enthusiasm: "You must come to see me before you go back. Can't you come for dinner or tea, to-morrow?" I felt that I ought to reply: "I will go right home with you now, stay all night, and all day to-morrow." In that way, I should have had 24 hours of entertainment (?) in payment for the week's board I had given herself and family.—Aunt Nell, in Housekeeper.

Tongue Napolitaine.

Wash the tongue (which should be a fresh one), trim off the roots, cover with boiling water and simmer for one hour. Skim it and let it stand until cool enough to handle. Cut some nice bacon in thin strips, and roll each strip into powdered sweet herbs and pepper. With a larding needle draw these strips through the center of the tongue, placing them about an inch apart. Chop one clove of garlic, one tablespoonful of chopped parsley and a sprig of thyme. Put the tongue in a pan with one tablespoonful of butter and brown on all sides. Add 1½ cupfuls each of good beef stock and strained tomatoes and the prepared seasonings, together with one scant teaspoonful of salt. Simmer slowly until tender—about two hours. Boil separately one-half of a pound of macaroni, and when tender drain it and rinse in clear water. Reheat in a little of the gravy of the meat, and sprinkle over it just before serving three tablespoonfuls of grated Parmesan cheese.—Philadelphia Press.

Dry Air Hurts the Hair.

The overheated condition in which Americans are apt to keep their houses is a chief cause, according to an authority, of the scant, brittle and prematurely gray hair of which many American women complain. The air is too dry for luxuriant hair, such as dwellers in most climates possess. The increasing tendency among women to be much out of doors is helpful, but the same authority in urging as much out-door air as possible cautions against exposing the head unprotected to a fierce sun. It is advised, too, that hair showing a decided tendency to dryness should be slightly dampened every day.—N. Y. Post.

Executor's Notice.

Estate of Abby K. Hays, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executor of the estate of Abby K. Hays, late of the county of Macon, and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the September term, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 12th day of July, 1899.

F. L. HAYS, Executor.

July 12-d3w

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

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Administrator's Sale of Real Estate to Pay Debts.

The undersigned, administrator of the estate of Charles L. Walker, deceased, by virtue of an order of the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, rendered at the June term A. D. 1899, will on

Tuesday, the 1st Day of August, 1899,

at 2 o'clock p. m. at the north door of the court house in Decatur, in the county of Macon aforesaid, sell at auction to the highest bidder the following described premises, to-wit: The south half of the east half of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter, also three (3) acres off of the north end of the east half of the west half of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter, also seven (7) acres off of the south end of the west half of the west half of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter, all of said premises being situated in section No. thirty-four (34), township No. seventeen (17) north, range No. three (3) east of the 3rd p. m., in the county of Macon and state of Illinois. Said premises will be sold free and clear of the widow's right of dower and homestead therein, she having consented in writing to a sale of said premises free and clear of her dower and homestead right therein. Said premises will also be sold free and clear of the mortgage lien of John W. Walker therein, said John W. Walker having consented in writing to the sale of said premises free and clear of his mortgage lien.

Terms—Cash in hand or one-half cash and the balance in six months, said balance to be secured by promissory note and mortgage on said premises sold with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum.

Dated this 3rd day of July, A. D. 1899.

JOHN W. WALKER, Administrator of the estate of Charles L. Walker, deceased.

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Administratrix Sale of Real Estate to Pay Debts.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, in a certain suit wherein Nettie M. Depew, administratrix of the estate of H. Clay Depew, is petitioner, and Carl L. Depew, Edna M. Depew, Henry F. Depew, John E. Race et al., are defendants, I will on

Tuesday, the 1st day of August, A. D. 1899,

at the north entrance to the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in the state of Illinois, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, sell at public sale the undivided one-half interest in Lot one (1), Block one (1), of Durfee & King's Addition to Decatur, Macon county, State of Illinois, corner of North Water and Marietta streets, with frontage on Water street of 91 feet.

TERMS OF SALE—One-half cash and the remaining one-half in six months from the date of sale, the deferred payments to draw interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, to be secured by good personal security and mortgage on the premises sold, the purchaser to have the privilege of paying all or any portion of the purchase money in excess of one-half in cash. Said sale to be subject to the approval of the county court.

Dated June 22d, A. D. 1899.

NETTIE M. DEPEW, Administratrix of the Estate of H. Clay Depew.

Bunn & Park, Attorneys. 22-dtd

Notice of Final Settlement.

State of Illinois, Macon County, ss.

In the County Court, August term, A.D. 1899, In the Matter of the Estate of Susannah Bushart, Deceased.

To whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that I have this 24th day of July, 1899, filed a final report of my acts and doings as the executor of the last will and testament of Susannah Bushart, deceased, and on the 15th day of August, 1899, at the hour of 9 o'clock, or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, I will ask the court to approve the same and release me from further liability therein; at which time and place you can be present and take such action as you may deem best.

Decatur, Illinois, July 24, 1899.

ANDREW H. MILLS, Executor, Etc.

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Executrix's Notice of Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY } ss

Estate of George Q. Baker, Deceased.

To Julia A. Noblet, Charles H. Baker, Henry M. Baker, Sarah J. McDonald, Georgiana S. Davis, Rosa A. Muirhead and Nina E Green, and to all persons interested in said estate.

You are hereby notified that I will file a final report of my acts and doings as the executrix of said estate in the county court of said county and state on the 1st day of August, A. D. 1899, and will ask the court on said day, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, to approve said report and to discharge me from further responsibility in said estate, at which time and place you can appear and take such action as you may deem best.

Decatur, Ills., July 18, 1899.

SARAH ANN BAKER, Executrix.

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Notice of Final Settlement.

In the County Court of Macon County, Illinois. In the Matter of the Estate of John Finn, Deceased.

To the Heirs at Law, Creditors and all persons interested in the estate of John Finn, deceased:

You will please take notice that upon the 19th day of June, 1899, I filed with the clerk of said court my final account in said matter, and that unless exceptions thereto shall be filed on or before Saturday, the 5th day of August, A. D. 1899, that I will ask the same to be confirmed, and that I be ordered to distribute the fund in my hand in accordance with said report.

Dated this 19th day of July, 1899.

PATRICK W. FINN, Administrator of the Estate of John Finn, Deceased.

Alexander McIntosh, Attorney. [19-d2w

Administrators' Notice.

Estate of Charles W. Bevens, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Charles W. Bevens, late of the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the September term, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 18th day of July, 1899.

SAMUEL WEAVER, Administrator.

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of James A. Cook, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of James A. Cook, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the September term, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 10th day of July, 1899.

E. L. HIGHT, Administrator.

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People's Column.

Advertisements of Forty words or less may be inserted in this column at the rate of 25 cents per week, payable invariably in advance.

For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

WANTED.

WANTED—A 5, 10, 15, 20 or 40 acre chicken farm ranch, near this city, in exchange for Decatur property; will give or take cash difference. GEO. LOWER, Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Agent, Room 8, Library Block, 120 East William street. 29-d6*

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WANTED—Paper hanging. I am prepared to give prompt attention to all orders for paper-hanging and painting in any part of the city or country. Satisfaction guaranteed; price to suit. D. M. SMITH, 1429 North Morgan. New telephone No. 306. Apr 12-dtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—The furniture and furnishings of the Palace Hotel at Moweaqua, Ill. All in good condition. A bargain for somebody. —july 29-3w

FOR SALE—The largest and best Dairy in Macon county, now owned by Wiley Felter on the Haworth Farm. Mr. Felter has 53 cows, and having leased the farm until March, 1902, will rent it to the purchaser of the Dairy until that time. An excellent opportunity for any one with from $2,000 to $2,500 to invest. Apply to Wiley Felter on Haworth Farm, two miles west of the city, or address him at Decatur, Ill. 27-d6

FOR SALE—A job printing outfit complete. Presses, cutter, shafting, belting, electric motor, etc. A snap for some one. Call on or address Geo. W. Shaffer at this office or Ben Howenstine, at Lyon's grocery store, Merchant street.

FOR SALE.—A choice lot of shade trees, evergreen and shrubbery, either at wholesale or retail. Will be sold cheaper than they can be raised. Call at the nursery just north of the Tuttle brick yard. HUGH LOGAN 18d-tp

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—The most pleasant suite of office rooms in the city. Apply to J. F. GIVEN March 29-dtf

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LOST—At corner of National Bank of Decatur, an Interchangeable Mileage Book, No. 84,880. Finder please return to Wm. Gushard & Co. and get liberal reward. 24-d0

LOST—A pair of Gold Spectacles, between the court house and the residence of Dr. A. J. Stoner, corner of North and Franklin streets. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to Dr. A. J. Stoner at his residence. 21-d6*

MISCELLANEOUS.

MISS EMMA WILLIAMS has sold her ladies' furnishing goods and notions, but will continue to deal in millinery and hair goods at her old stand at 220 North Main street. 25-d6

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Four year old red cow, white horns, weighs 1400 pounds and is with calf. Bunch of white hair at top of tail. A reward will be paid the finder by returning her to the second house north of Marietta street on North Fulk street. G. MAURITZ. 18-d6*

NOTICE—Billy Holland is now ready to close engagements with camping or fishing parties during the summer, in taking charge of the cooking department and performing other duties. Call at 131 West Main street, or at James Hollinger's barber shop. April 8-dtf

AGENTS—Something entirely new, our Perfection Gaslight Burners fit all kerosene lamps, giving brilliant gaslight, greatest invention of the century. No chimney, smoke or dirt, cheaper than oil; just what the people want; $10 a day sure; outfit free. Perfection Gaslight Burner Co., B. 4, Cincinnati, O.

GET YOUR HORSE SHOD—At corner West Main and church streets. The proprietor belongs to no trust nor organization to make you pay a high price for your horseshoeing. Four new shoes $1. T. L. Weakly, proprietor, Decatur, Ill. 22-dtf

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NASHVILLE, Ill., Sept. 9, 1891.

Office of Rev. J. C. Orr, pastor M. E. Church.

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Yours truly, J. C. Orr.

STORAGE GOODS FOR SALE.—We have a lot of household goods, bedroom suit, chairs, couches, carpets, etc., in good condition, that we will sell cheap to pay the storage due on them. This is a bargain for some one. BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO. June 10-dtf

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MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN—On city real estate and farms, at 5, 5½ and 6 per cent. interest. GEO. LOWER, Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Agent, Room 8 Library Block, 120 East William street. 29-d6*

TO LOAN—I have $10,000 to loan at 6 per cent. No commission or other charges. Privileges of repayment. Write what you have as security to K. C. B., care of Republican office. July 15-d6w3w

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Established in 1896. D. YOUNG, PAWNBROKER. —Loans on Personal Property.— Also pays best prices for good second-hand overcoats. 142 East Prairie Street. June 3-dtf

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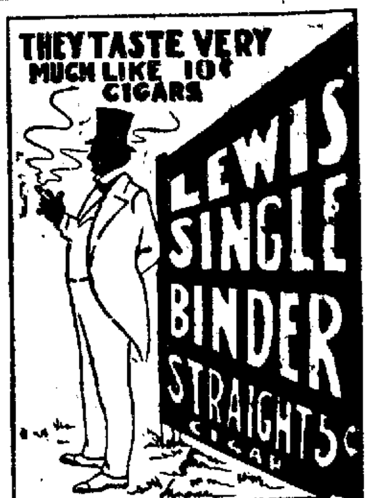
ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R. EXCURSIONS.

Cheap rate to Denver, Colorado and return, August 5, 6 and 7, via I. C. R. R. Return limit Aug. 31, 1899. $8.40 for the round trip. You can leave Decatur at 11 a. m. and arrive at Denver at 6:30 the next evening.

Clinton Fair, August 7th to 11th. The I. C. R. R. will sell tickets at one and one-third fare to Clinton and return August 8th to 11th; good returning to August 12.

Sunday School Picnic, Moweaqua, Tuesday, August 1. One and one-third fare for round trip; good returning August 2d.

For further information in regard to tickets and rates call at City Ticket Office, 121 E. William street, or Union Depot.



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LEWIS SINGLE BINDER STRAIGHT 5c CIGAR

Always Best Tobacco in Lewis' Cigars

Railroad Column

R. R. TIME TABLES.

Wabash Line

[Corrected to June, 4th, 1899.]

TO CHICAGO.

No. 12—Daily ... 1:00 a m
No. 16—Daily except Sunday ... 9:20 a m
No. 14—Daily ... 11:43 a m

TO ST. LOUIS.

No. 5—Fast Mail, Daily ... 11:16 p m
No. 3—Daily ... 8:40 a m
No. 51—St. Louis Accomm., Daily ... 7:10 a m
No. 1—Continental Limited, Daily ... 4:05 p m
No. 7—Kansas City Ex., Daily ... 5:15 p m
No. 9—Kansas City Mail, Daily ... 11:20 a m

TO TOLEDO AND BUFFALO.

No. 6—Fast Mail, Daily ... 5:29 a m
No. 16—Danville Accom. ex Sunday ... 9:11 a m
No. 24—Daily ... 11:00 a m
No. 4—Continental Limited, Daily ... 11:37 a m
No. 50—Lafayette Accom., ex. Sun ... 4:31 p m
No. 2—N. Y. Limited, Daily ... 11:51 p m
No. 8—Buffalo Mail, Daily ... 3:22 a m

TO QUINCY AND HANNIBAL.

No. 8—K. C. Express, Daily ... 5:37 a m
No. 19—Clayton Accom., Daily ... 7:30 a m
No. 51—Daily, ex. Sun ... 10:28 a m
No. 1—Daily ... 4:10 p m
No. 17—To Springfield, Daily Ex. Sun. 7:55 p m
No. 9—K. C. Mail, Daily ... 11:25 a. m

FROM CHICAGO.

No. 13—Daily ... 3:20 a m
No. 11—Limited, Daily ... 3:31 p m
No. 17—Daily, except Sunday ... 7:55 p m

FROM ST. LOUIS.

No. 12—Night Express, Daily ... 12:51 a m
No. 6—Fast Mail, Daily ... 5:28 a m
No. 24—Daily ... 10:55 a m
No. 4—Continental Limited, Daily ... 11:34 a m
No. 50—St Louis Accom. Dly ex Sun ... 9:15 a m
No. 2—N. Y. Limited, Daily ... 11:49 p m
No. 52—Decatur Accm. Sunday only ... 10:30 p m

FROM TOLEDO.

No. 51—Effingham Accom., Dly ex Sun 10:35 a m
No. 5—Fast Mail, Daily ... 11:42 p m
No. 3—Limited, Daily ... 8:10 a m
No. 1—Continental Limited, Daily ... 4:00 p m
No. 7—St. Louis Through Ex., Daily 5:10 p m
No. 9—K. C. Mail, Daily ... 11:17 a m

FROM QUINCY AND HANNIBAL.

No. 16—From Springfield, Daily ... 9:15 a m
No. 4—Express, Daily ... 10:55 a m
No. 50—From Springfield, ex. Sun ... 4:27 p m
No. 20—From Clayton, Daily ... 6:51 p m
No. 2—From Kansas City, Daily ... 11:03 p m
No. 8—Buffalo Mail, Daily ... 3:22 a. m.

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE RY.

Arrive from Peoria		Arrive from Evansville	
A No. 1	10:55 a. m.	A No. 2	2:50 p. m.
B No. 41	11:21 a. m.	D No. 4	6:25 p. m.
D No. 3	10:05 p. m.	B No. 40	3:34 p. m.
A No. 11	2:30 p. m.		

Depart for Peoria		Depart for Evansville	
A No. 2	3:00 p. m.	A No. 1	10:45 a. m.
B No. 40	3:39 p. m.	D No. 3	10:20 p. m.
D No. 4	6:35 a. m.	A No. 11	3:05 p. m.
A No. 10	10:35 a. m.	B No. 41	11:30 a. m.

"A"—Daily Except Sunday. "D"—Daily. "B" Sunday Only.

Illinois Central.

Corrected to June 18, 1899.

No. 118 to Chicago via Clinton & Gilman ... 1:55 a. m.
No. 120 to Chicago via Clinton & Gilman ... 3:05 p. m.
No. 704 to Chicago via Champaign ... 6:00 a. m.
No. 104 Main Line North ... 11:00 a. m.
No. 126 Main Line North ... 5:45 p. m.
No. 702 Champaign Line Mixed leaves ... 3:15 p. m.
No. 192 Freight, stop ...
No. 117 Diamond Special to St. Louis via Pana ... 1:32 a. m.
No. 119 Daylight Special to St. Louis via Pana ... 1:41 p. m.
No. 125 Main Line South to Centralia 12:22 a. m.
No. 123 Main Line South to Cairo ... p. m.
No. 191 Local Freight South ... 7:45 a. m.
No. 703 from Chicago via Champaign, arrives ... 5 p. m.
No. 701 from Champaign Mixed Train arrives ... 11:75 a. m.

*—Daily. †—Daily Except Sunday.

Vandalia Line.

In effect Oct. 13, 1891.

DEPARTS EAST.

No. 30—Freight, ex. Sunday ... 6:35 a m
No. 12—Except Sunday ... 7:00 a m
No. 6—Except Sunday ... 3:28 p m

FROM TERRE HAUTE.

No. 7—Except Sunday ... 10:45 a m
No. 53—Freight, ex. Sunday ... 5:00 p m
No. 21—Except Sunday ... 7:05 p m

DEPARTS WEST.

No. 5—Ex. Sunday ... 7:00 a m
No. 55—Freight, ex. Sunday ... 7:30 a m
No. 7—Ex. Sunday ... 10:55 a m

FROM PEORIA.

No. 6—Ex. Sunday ... 3:20 p m
No. 52—Freight ex. Sunday ... 4:10 p m
No. 4—Ex. Sunday ... 9:20 p m

For complete Time Card, giving all trains and stations, and for full information as to rates, through cars, etc., address J. C. Millspaugh, T. P. A., Decatur, Ill., or E. A. Ford, Gen'l Pass. Agt., St. Louis, Mo.

Indiana, Decatur & Western Ry Co.

ARRIVE.		LEAVE.	
No. 1 Pass	*3:25 p m	No. 4 Pass	*11:10 p m
No. 3 Pass	*3:45 a m	No. 2 Pass	*11:00 a m
" 7	†10:00 a m	" 10	†4:10 p m
" 9	18:00 p m	" 8	13:50 a m

*Daily. †Except Sunday.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL EXCURSIONS.

One way settler rates to points south and southeast on first and third Tuesdays of each month at very low rates.

Tickets to St. Louis and return on every Saturday good returning on Monday at one fare for round trip.

Homeseekers' excursions to points north, northwest, west, southwest, south and southeast at one fare plus $2 on first and third Tuesdays of each month.

Tickets on sale at City Ticket Office 121 East William street and Union Depot.

Until further notice the Ill. Central Railroad will make cheap colonist rates via their line and connecting lines to all principal points in California, Oregon and the Northwest.

Through Tourist Sleeper to these points. For further information apply at City Ticket Office or Union Depot.

Niagara Falls Excursions.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8th.

Via the P., D. & E. Railway.

One excursion, all rail, leaves Decatur at 10:45 a. m., with through coaches and sleepers. The second leaves Decatur at 10:20 p. m., going by rail to Toledo, O., thence by steamer to Buffalo, N. Y.

Tickets good returning 15 days from date of sale.

$8.50 FOR ROUND TRIP.

WAIT FOR IT.

For reservation of berths in sleeper or boats, or for further particulars, call on or address: H. B. DYER, Agent P. D. & E. Phones 17. Or T. Peniwell, City Ticket Agent, or W. L. Smith, Ticket Agent, Union Depot.

HOW IS THIS for SPECIAL OFFERING ?

14k 18 size Gold Filled Case, with 11 Jewel Nickle, Gold Finished American Movement, Stem Wind; regular value $15.

SPECIAL PRICES:

$10.25 for Hunting, $9.75 for Open Face—complete watch.

Guaranteed satisfactory timer. Call in and examine these goods. The BEST WATCH in the world for the money.

FRANK CURTIS,

Jeweler and Dealer in Fine China.

156 EAST MAIN STREET, : : DECATUR, ILL.

AT THE HEAD OF THEM ALL IS OUR

BARGAIN DEPARTMENT.

You'll find, however, that the price is way in the rear.

1-15—Women's Dongola Button Patent Tip, good sizes, desirable widths; $2.50 and $2.00 goods. Your choice only **$1.39**

L 254—Women's Hand Turned Oxfords, Square Toe, Patent Tip, nearly all sizes, narrow widths; regular $2.00. Yours for **$1.49**

L 274—Misses' Strap Sandals, Black and chocolate, sizes 11½ to 2, narrow widths. $1.50 goods for **99c**

L 101—Women's small sizes, 2½, 3, 3½ and 4, Square Toe and round; regular $2.50 and $2.00 Oxfords for only **79c**

Remember the Place---Bargain Department.

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148 East Main Street, Decatur, Ill.

See the Brass Foot Prints in the Sidewalk.

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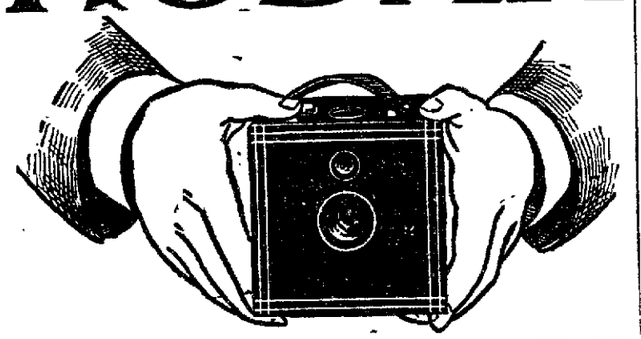
There is no Kodak but the Eastman Kodak.



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Dark Room at your disposal. We do developing and printing in the very latest style.

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100 TWO-GRAIN

QUININE PILLS

...30c...

WEST'S DRUG STORE.

LINCOLN SQUARE.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke the Little J., 5-cent cigar, made by Jacob Keck.

Go to Henry's bakery for all kinds of bread, cakes, pies, etc. june 23-dtf

Council meeting this evening.

W. H. Spence, painting, paper hanging, kalsomining, etc. New 'phone, office 627, residence 615.—5-dtf

More base ball this week.

Limit of 15 days via P., D. & E. to Niagara Falls, Tuesday, August 8. See agents and get information regarding side trips.—7-dtd

Select either a Chickering or Packard piano and you will be more than satisfied. The instruments are on sale only at the C. B. Prescott music house. Prices low, terms easy.

After a girl reaches 25 she loses all interest in birthday parties.

Official Maps of the City for sale by W. E. Colladay, City Engineer's office or L. Chodat's News House. May 5-dtf

The oldest living married couple in Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Michael F. Conover, elebrated the 61st anniversary of their wedded life on Tuesday.

"We have sold many different cough remedies, but none has given better satisfaction than Chamberlain s," says Mr. Charles Holzhauer, Druggist, Newark, N. J. "It is perfectly safe and can be relied upon in all cases of coughs, colds or hoarseness. Sold by J. E. King and C. F. Shilling.

New Electric Company.

The promoters of the new electric company are getting the petitions of owners of property alon g the streets and alleys where their lines will run in order to secure their franchise and they have now secured nearly all of the frontage necessary.

Chodat's

Little Dutch cigars are excellent. 5 for 10 cents.

Excursion to Niagara Falls, August 8th, Via I. D. & W. Ry.

The Indiana, Decatur & Western Railway will sell special excursion tickets to Niagara Falls and return from Decatur on August 7th and from Tuscola and stations east thereof, on August 8th, 1899, via Indianapolis, C. H. & D., Toledo, Detroit and Michigan Central R. R. (through Canada), good for return with in 15 days, at low rates for the round. For rates, tickets, etc., call on any I. D. & W. ticket agent, or address John S. Lazarus, G. P. A., Indianapolis, Ind. —3-dtd

Surprised Mr. Morris.

The members of the Odd Fellows and Rebekah lodges gave Mr. William Morris a genuine surprise by calling at his home on North Calhoun street on Saturday night and presenting him with a handsome emblematic watch charm as a token of their friendship and well wishes, it being the occasion of his birthday anniversary. About 75 in all were present. The evening was spent delightfully with lawn games and cards and supper was served.

The Board of Review.

The members of the board of review are still hearing the complaints of the property owners. Today they attended to some matters in the city. Tomorrow the board will go to Blue Mound and the next day to Macon.

THAT ORDINANCE.

Members of the Baptist Church Take Action Against Saloons.

The following communication is self-explanatory:

Decatur, July 31, 1899.

Ed. Republican, City:—Enclosed is a copy of resolutions and amendment unanimously adopted by the members of the First Baptist church of this city, in public session, Sunday morning, July 30, 1899:

"Whereas, The council of our city having passed an ordinance extending the time in which the saloons may do business, therefore

"Resolved, That we, the members of the First Baptist church, are altogether opposed to this action and hereby enter an emphatic protest against it as being vicious in principle and totally unnecessary.

"Amended, 'to request the mayor to exercise his veto power in the case of this ordinance.' Signed:

J. Edward Saxton, Sr., Deacon,
E. Park, Sr., Trustee,
F. O. Riggs, Church Clerk."

Elks' Meeting.

Tuesday night at 8 o'clock the regular business meeting of the Elks will be held at their hall in the Powers block.

GRAIN-O BRINGS RELIEF

to the coffee drinker. Coffee drinking is a habit that is universally indulged in and almost as universally injurious. Have you tried Grain-O? It is almost like coffee but the effects are just the opposite. Coffee upsets the stomach, ruins the digestion, effects the heart and disturbs the whole nervous system. Grain-O tones up the stomach, aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. There is nothing but nourishment in Grain-O. It can't be otherwise. 15 and 25c per package.

COMPANY H WON

The Monticello Team an Easy Mark.

THE SCORE WAS 21 TO 5.

A Larger Crowd Than at Any Time This Season Witnessed the Game—Now Have Money to Back Them.

The attendance at the race track Sunday afternoon when the Company H. nine played Monticello club was the largest that has been at the park any time this season. The game was a victory for the soldiers and was witnessed by nearly 1000 persons. The gate receipts amounted to over $150. The Company H team will now have a little money behind it. When Manager Seiwers took hold there was not a cent in the treasury but now the affairs of the club can be better managed and it is the intention to have frequent games.

The game yesterday was an easy thing for the Company H club. The score was 21 to 5 in favor of Decatur. In the first inning Decatur got in 10 runs, while Monticello only managed to land one man on home base. This made matters rather one-sided to start with and the Monticello boys continued to do some poor playing. Lewis, the pitcher, was a first class man in the box but for some reason he did not get proper support from the other players. The team failed to keep up to their usual standard and the members were very much disgusted with the way they played as it was the first time they were defeated this season. The fact that the Monticello boys have heretofore been invincible made the Decatur boys feel good over their victory. Walter Moore was the umpire and as is usually the case, made a good one.

The players and positions of the two teams were as follows:

Monticello—Weaver, second base; Fisher, short stop; Porter, first base; Woolington, center field; Bishop, third base; Johnson, right field; Hubbard, left field; Shively, catcher; Lewis, pitcher.

Company H—Gates, left field; Seiberling, second base; Wackerman, third base; Gillespie, catcher; Martin, center field; Myers, short stop; Adkesson, right field; McIntyre, first base; Robbens, pitcher.

OTHER GAMES.

Next Sunday the Company H nine will go to Kenney to play a team of that place.

The Macon Maroons will be in Decatur Tuesday to play the College Hill nine.

The colored nine from Nashville, Tenn., the members of which visited this city recently, will play in Decatur with the College Hill nine on August 6 and 7.

Some night this week there will be a meeting of the members of the Y. M. C. A. athletic committee for the purpose of reorganizing the base ball club.

WILL BE SETTLED.

Contests Which Did Not Take Place at the Grocers' Picnic.

As there was some dissatisfaction in regard to the ladies' hitching contest at the Grocers' picnic the members of the association have decided to have the contest pulled off again next Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. At the same time some of the contests which were not held at the picnic will take place. The following are the events:

Egg race for ladies:

First Prize—Gasoline stove, value $2.50.

Second Prize—One pound tea, value $1.

Horseshoe pitching contest, between Cy Imboden and Tom Caun, against W. H. Starr and J. B. Bullard. Prize, box cigars.

Tug of War—Seven men on side. By the grocers north of Eldorado street and the grocers south of Eldorado street:

Prize—Case baked beans.

Ladies' Hitching Contest—Shortest time. Snap harness; harnessed horse, 10 feet from buggy; ladies to hitch up and drive off:

First Prize—One box soap, value $6.25.

Second Prize—Two pound package Mocha and Java coffee.

Third Prize—Case of pop, value $1.

The judges and several of the members of the association will go to the park on that day and see that the finale is satisfactory.

All entries are to be filed with Dan F. Dineen, secretary of the association.

ATHLETIC PROGAM.

To be Given at the Woodmen Picnic on August 8.

The program for the athletic events at the Modern Woodman picnic has been arranged. The list of events and prizes offered is as follows:

FIVE MILE BICYCLE.

First Prize—$25 suit of clothes, Jones & Hall Clothing Co.

Second Prize—$5 Stetson hat, Race Clothing Co.; $2 shoes, Hutchin & Hardy; 100 pounds White Loaf flour, Shellabarger Mill and Elevator Co.

Third Prize—$3 gas lamp, P. Hiekisch.

Fourth Prize—$2 umbrella, Charles Morgan.

ONE MILE BICYCLE.

First Prize—$5 Peekaboo camera, Morehouse & Wells Co.

Second Prize—$3 shoes, Davis B. Folrath.

Third Prize—$2.50 ladies' bike shoes, Rogers & Clark.

Fourth Prize—$2 gas lamp, J. G. Starr & Son.

HALF MILE BICYCLE.

First Prize—$4 china clock, Scovill Furniture Co.; $1 belt, Smith's Haberdashery.

Second Prize—China dish, Frank Curtis.

Third Prize—$2.75 bike pants, Ryan Clothing Co.

100 YARD DASH.

First Prize—$5 photos, VanDeventer.

Second Prize—$3 center table, Bachman Bros. & Martin Co.

Third Prize—$2 umbrella, Stewart Dry Goods Co.

220 YARD HURDLE.

First Prize—$5 mandolin, Prescott Music Co.

Second Prize—$1 pair shears, C. L. Griswold.

HALF MILE RUN.

First Prize—$3 Longley hat, B. Stine Clothing Co.; $2 umbrella, Charles T. Johnston.

Second Prize—$2.50 bottle perfume, Neisler Drug and Supply Co.

Third Prize—$2 hat, Ottenheimer & Co.

HALF MILE WALK.

First Prize—$4.50 silk umbrella, W. Gushard Dry Goods Co.

Second Prize—$2.50 club bag, Decatur Trunk Manufacturing Co.

Third Prize—$1.50 sweater, Sumerfield, the Clothier.

POLE VAULT.

First Prize—$6 diamond ring, Post & Son.

Second Prize—$2.50 cigars or merchandise, King drug store.

Third Prize—$2 picture, J. E. Saxton.

HIGH JUMP.

First Prize—$5 photos, F. J. Walter & Co.

Second Prize—$2 picture frame, Jones & Hall.

Third Prize—Smoking table, John Keck.

TURNED ON THE WATER.

Boy at Transfer House Resented Being Slapped in the Face.

At the transfer house Saturday an incident occurred which was most amusing to those who witnessed it, while perhaps not so much so for those who participated. Officer Holser's son is employed to care for the transfer house and wash off the concrete walk around the transfer house. He had the hose out and was scrubbing. Dr. J. T. Miller happened to be passing and the boy turned the hose to one side in order to let the doctor pass. The hose was not turned quite far enough or else the doctor was too near. At any rate some water spattered on him and at this Dr. Miller, who is an unusually quiet and good humored man, for the moment got angry. He thought the boy was trying to be impertinent and he slapped him in the face. Young Holser didn't like the idea of being slapped, so he turned the hose square on the doctor. Such a deluge of water was too much to go up against and hostilities ended then and there and were finally arbitrated in a peaceful manner.

Atlantic City.

August 10 the Vandalia-Pennsylvania will have a very cheap excursion Decatur to Atlantic City, N. J., $17.50 for the round trip. Tickets good for 15 days. This will give you a splendid opportunity to enjoy your summer vacation on the sea shore, at very reasonable rate. For full particulars see J. C. Millspaugh, T. P. A. Vandalia Line.—18-d10t

Will Play Ball Now.

The Y. M. C. A. base ball team has secured the use of the race track diamond for afternoons during the week when they can arrange a game. Heretofore the Y. M. C. A. team has been unable to play on account of the fact that they had no grounds but now Manager Ewing is making arrangements with the out of town teams with the view of having some good games during the week.

It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg, but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For ulcers, wounds, piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by John E. King and Charles F. Shilling, druggists.

Will Get a Cannon.

Mayor Stadler has received a letter from W. L. Pierce, captain of the ordinance department at the Rock Island arsenal, stating that he has received directions to send an eight inch gun to Decatur. The cannon will be received and placed in Central park for decorative puproses.

Buffalo, Cleveland, Sandusky, Toledo.

On the Niagara Falls excursion via the P., D. & E. Ry., Tuesday, August 8, tickets will be sold at rate named to the above points in addition to Niagara Fal's. Fifteen day limit for return. Call on your nearest ticket agent for particulars, or address G. A. Smith, G. A., Peoria, Ill.—25-dtd

WILL CONTINUE

Y. M. C. A. Tent Meeting to Last This Week.

SUNDAY WAS A GRAND DAY.

Vote of Saloon Ordinance Approved by 1600 People—Services of Unusual Interest—Announcements.

The high water mark in the Y. M. C. A. tent services was seemingly reached on Sunday, the meeting being marked with an earnestness, a show of interest and an immense attendance. The services of the day were begun with a morning meeting held at 8:30 and led by Evangelist Smith. At 3:30 in the afternoon there was a men's meeting which was attended by about 350 men. The meeting was the best men's meeting yet held. The opening service consisted of sentence prayers and songs by the quartette. Mr. Smith took or his topic, "How we may know the truth of Christ," and for his text, "How can these things be?" He said:

"Many are asking these questions and honestly. There is little hope for a man who is asking these questions and at the same time heeding God. Some one has said regarding religion 'What you don't know, you don't know, what you don't know you can't know and what you can't know is no use to you.' I think that should be changed to read: 'What you do know, you do know, what you don't know you may know and what you may know it's your duty to know.'

"We know these things to be true by the testimony of those who have tried them, by its results, by the things ye love, by honestly testing it, by the authenticity of the Bible, by the durability of the Bible and by its advisability."

SUNDAY EVENING.

Sunday evening was the red letter service of the series. Evangelist Smith seemed to feel an earnestness and enthusiasm which was communicated to the audience and everyone who attended has said that it was the best meeting that has yet been held. The sermon was unusually fine and very much pleased the large audience. It was known that there were at least 1600 in attendance and by many it is thought that there were even more than that number. The big tent was crowded and the most intense interest seemed to be felt by everyone present. There was a song service of 10 minutes' length to begin the services, after which there was prayer by Rev. S. H. Bowyer. The scripture lesson was read by Mr. Smith and after selections by the choir Mrs. Maltby sang, "Moment by Moment." Mr. Smith called Rev. Marion Stevenson to the platform to present the petition asking the co-operation of all Christian people in defeating the saloon ordinance and Mr. Stevenson asked all who were in favor of requesting the mayor to veto the ordinance to rise to their feet. The audience rose as one person and stood en masse against the signing of the ordinance. There was a prayer by Rev. Abner Cobb and Mr. Smith announced his text. It was, "What shall I do with Jesus which is called Christ?" He said:

"This was the important question which confronted Pilate and it is today one of the most important questions which confronts you. This tent was erected with the purpose of bringing this question before you. Business, pleasure, a great many things are of great importance but this is the supreme question which rises above all others, 'What shall I do with Christ? This question must be answered. You, like Pilate, will be compelled to decide one way or the other."

Rev. W. O. Miller led in prayer at the close of the sermon and there were two minute testimonies. There was a short and interesting after service.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The meeting will continue until next Sunday or Monday.

Services this evening and on Wednesday evening will begin at 8 o'clock, in order that the young people's meeting and the prayer meetings may be attended.

Subject for Tuesday evening, "Popular Amusements."

Was it a Miracle?

"The marvelous cure of Mrs. Reynald Stout of consumption has created intense excitement in Cammack," writes Marion Stuart, a leading druggist of Muncie, Ind. She only weighed 90 pounds when her doctor in Cincinnati said she must soon die. Then she began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and gained 37 pounds in weight and was completely cured." It has cured thousands of hopeless cases, and is positively guaranteed to cure all diseases of chest and lung diseases. 50c and $1. Trial bottles 10 cents at John E. King and Charles F. Shilling's drug stores.

Visit

Niagara Falls on the occasion of the P., D. & E. excursion, Tuesday, August 8. Plenty of time to visit Toronto, Montreal, Thousand Islands, Put-In-Bay and other resorts as the tickets have the extremely long return limit of 15 days. Call on ticket agent for particulars, or write G. A. Smith, G. A., Peoria, Ill.—25dtd

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BIG DAYS AT PEKIN

Racing and Other Events at Firemen's Tournament.

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ROYALTY AT THE YACHT RACE

The Emperor William's "Meteor" Defeats the Britannia, Prize Prize Yacht Owned By the Prince of Wales—Great Crowds to Witness Contests.

PEKIN, ILL., August 1.—The 11th annual tournament of the Illinois Firemen's association began this morning and will continue three days. Competing teams are present from Naperville, Chicago Heights, Arcola, Charleston, Edwardsville, Gibson City, Blue Island, Venice, Canton, Dixon, Litchfield, Peoria, South Peoria, Madison, Monmouth, Bushnell, Mt. Pulaski and Clinton. Seven hundred firemen are in the city and thousands of sightseers. There was a parade this morning of uniformed firemen with apparatus. Wednesday morning there will be contests of steam fire engines and the hand engine contests on Thursday morning. Regular contests every afternoon include all kinds of races, coupling, ladder and other tests of discipline and agility.

The Meteor Won.

COWES, ISLE OF WIGHT, August 1.—The regatta of the Royal Yacht Squadron opened today with beautiful weather and big crowds. The starters for the Queen's Cup were the Prince of Wales' Brittannia, Emperor William's Meteor, the Satania, Rainbow, Letty, Roseneath and Cetnia.

The Brittannia and Meteor crossed the starting line together. The Brittannia took the lead, but the Meteor rounded the Evrington spot buoy a minute ahead, the others close in. The Meteor allowed the Brittannia 10 minutes. The Meteor finished at 5:15.

"BEAT THE BAND"

A Scene in a Terre Haute Court.

TERRE HAUTE, IND., August 1.—Monday for the third time Rev. Renwick Reed the Methodist evangelist, and Rev. Mr. Shumaker of Mattox church lost a case in a justice court, which they had brought against a saloonkeeper for keeping open on Sunday.

The testimony was direct and unimpeached. The lawyers for the saloonkeeper treated the ministers and the hundred or more women they had brought from the churches in the north side to court with harsh language. The lawyers contended that there is nothing in the Bible about keeping the Sabbath holy, and when the women objected to this they were called pharisees, etc. Then they hissed, and the lawyers called them geese and old hens. The hissing was redoubled and the justice of the peace told the women they must stop. The jury was out only a few minutes.

SUNDAY'S FIGHT

Resume of the Engagement with Filipinos.

MANILA, August 1.—Sunday's fight at Calamba was a warm one. The insurgents were unwilling to abandon the place, which is the key to the lake road. General Hall, hearing that General Malber was preparing to make an attack, sent Major Wessenberger with three compan[illegible] 21st infantry, three troop[illegible] and one of Hamilton's gu[illegible] the insurgents. This [illegible] found 1600 rebels behind [illegible] intrenchments. The re[illegible] fire until the contingent [illegible] regiment was within 30[illegible] they fired a volley. The [illegible] dropped in the grass out of [illegible] returned the fire. Lieuten[illegible] walking erect along in [illegible] men, was shot in the [illegible] sergeant officer, equally [illegible] the top of the trenches [illegible] fire of the insurgents [illegible] killed, when the Filipinos [illegible] ing the fighting on the [illegible] town, a small body of [illegible] tempted to enter on th[illegible] but the cavalry repulsed [illegible] total American loss at [illegible] seven killed and 20 wounded. [illegible] dead insurgents have [illegible] American garrison at [illegible] going to Calamba. [illegible] surgents visited Tayay [illegible] killed several natives [illegible] Americans.

THE PRESID[illegible]

May Confer With [illegible] on Boundary Di[illegible]

HOTEL CHAMPLAIN, [illegible] COUNTY, N. Y., A[illegible] Wilfrid Laurier, the Ca[illegible] is expected to visit Hot[illegible] for a stay of a couple of [illegible] the parliament at Ottaw[illegible] which will probably [illegible] week. If he should [illegible] barely possible that he [illegible] dent may talk over the Va[illegible] ary question is an inte[illegible] that any formal confere[illegible] ed in a New York paper [illegible] on that subject at so[illegible] the Canada line" is not [illegible]

The outbreak of [illegible] Hampton, Va., has bro[illegible] the attention of the [illegible] He has been kept fully [illegible] the situation and has [illegible] every possible pre[illegible] prevent the spread of the [illegible]

Vice President Ho[illegible] here Saturday from [illegible] an inconsiderable stay. [illegible] the private car of Pa[illegible] of the Delaware and Hu[illegible]

ON THE WA[illegible]

Yaquis Indians [illegible] Kill Peop[illegible]

ST. LOUIS, August [illegible] Democrat's Ortiz, M[illegible] says: Any doubt that [illegible] on the warpath in [illegible] pelled to lay. News [illegible] here that several [illegible] Mexicans have been [illegible] in the Yaquis river va[illegible] who brought the news [illegible] saw a desperate fig[illegible] east of Ortiz and that [illegible] evidence that J. F. [illegible] chant of Hermosi[illegible] photographer, are a[illegible] General Torres [illegible] first military zone, [illegible] with the 12th reg[illegible] among the slain. [illegible] secure accurate fig[illegible] number killed, [illegible] that 50 on each side [illegible] excessive.

FOUGHT IN A[illegible]

MUNCIE, IND., [illegible] between Les Lindsey [illegible] per, and a brake[illegible] day as the train [illegible] worked left Muncie [illegible] culminated in a [illegible] made upon Lindsey [illegible] train had left Fa[illegible] train, a freight, [illegible] rapid rate when [illegible] knocked senseless [illegible] fireman jumped [illegible] and brought the tr[illegible] where Lindsey's w[illegible] Physicians do not [illegible] juries will result [illegible] arrested at a [illegible] Muncie. Lindsey [illegible] Indianapolis.

THE WEA[illegible]

CHICAGO, [illegible] Showers and thu[illegible] and Wednesday, [illegible]